

AYLWARD OUT FOR SENATE; TO STATE PLATFORM LATER

United States District Attorney Makes Announcement on Heels of His Denial

FORECLOSES THE SITUATION?

Politicians See in Statement Plan to Keep Out Others Looked Upon as Senatorial Timber

SURPRISE EXPRESSED BY MANY

Prominent Man in Party Believed He Had Received His Reward at Hands of the Party

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—John A. Aylward, United States district attorney for the western district of Wisconsin, has announced his candidacy for the democratic United States senatorial nomination.

His announcement came upon the heels of a denial of an interview, printed in Chicago, in which he was alleged to have announced his candidacy.

The statement issued by Mr. Aylward said:

"I am a candidate for the United States senate but am not prepared to make my formal announcement now. When I do make my formal announcement I will put my platform in writing and give it to my home papers."

In regard to his denial of his candidacy, he said:

"While the interview with me recently printed in a Chicago newspaper was wholly informal, yet the account of that interview so far as it relates to my candidacy is substantially correct. It was probably a reporter's license to construe my statement into a formal announcement, while I did not intend to make a formal announcement at this time."

Forecloses Situation

Mr. Aylward's announcement is taken by some prominent state democrats, in Madison today, to practically foreclose the situation and may serve effectively to keep out such men as Senator Paul Hastings, Mayville, and Evan Evans, Baraboo, both of whom have been urged to enter the race for the toga.

The announcement is also a surprise to many democrats who are of the opinion that Mr. Aylward has received his just share of reward from his party. One man from the northern part of the state contends that Mr. Aylward should not have accepted the United States district attorneyship if he intended to later climb on the ticket.

Active in Politics

Mr. Aylward has been active in democratic state politics for many years, was at one time a candidate for governor and is the law partner of Joseph E. Davies, commissioner of corporations, national democratic committeeman and the man who managed President Wilson's western campaign.

Mr. Aylward is the man who defended Insurance Commissioner Herman L. Ekern before the senate when Governor McGovern attempted to oust him.

ARREST ALLEGED YEGGS

NEW YORK, March 5.—Watched by the police ever since August Lehman was murdered in a Janus street coal yard, February 18, John J. Deegan and Clarence Cullen were arrested today after a hot pistol fight with police who declare they found the pair preparing to blow a safe in a moving picture house in St. John's place, Brooklyn.

GINK-Y DINKS



MR. WORRY SAYS:
Lots of men get a wife because they can never remember to take care of their laundry while they have one clean shirt and collar. And most of them don't regret it.

John A. Aylward



United States district attorney and prominent democrat who announces his candidacy for the senatorial nomination.

THREE DAY JAG ON SOFT DRINKS

Fred Wehrer Testifies that He Served No Intoxicants to Mike Dolan; Makes Jury Believe It

EMPTY BOTTLES ARE HIS PROOF

Exhibits Container Carrying Iron Brew and Ginger Ale Labels and Convinces Jurors

John John Brindley is today racking his brains to reach a conclusion as to whether Michael Dolan of Rising Sun was using iron brew as a chaser for ginger ale or whether the ginger ale was a chaser for the iron brew.

The judge's suspicions as to the alcoholic powers of the drinks was aroused yesterday when he discovered that Dolan had managed to keep drunk for three days on this combination. Dolan, however, was too far beyond earthly realms to remember which drink was responsible for his plight.

The newly discovered powers of the "soft" drinks was brought forth as the result of the hearing against Fred Wehrer, proprietor of the Wisconsin house who was alleged to have sold liquor to Dolan while drunk and to have kept him at his hotel, under the influence of drink for three days.

Produces Bottles as Proof
Dolan says it was liquor that he was drinking, that is as near as he could remember. Wehrer said ginger ale and iron brew and as proof positive, produced two empty bottles, one of which carried an iron brew label and the other a ginger ale label.

It took the jury just five minutes to ascertain that the drinks served by Wehrer were non-intoxicating and to return a verdict of not guilty. After being discharged Wehrer sprang a surprise on Dolan by producing a deposit check on the Ferryville State bank for \$100 which Dolan had lost during his debauch. Wehrer it seems had put the check in his safe for safe keeping until Dolan should recover from his ginger ale and iron brew.

MARRIAGE SETTLES SUIT

NEW YORK, March 5.—"It's cheaper to wed than face a \$500,000 breach of promise suit," was the comment in society circles today, when it was learned that Miss Monica T. Borden and Octavio Guine, wealthy Brazilian importer, were quietly married last night at the Hotel Biltmore, where Guine is confined to his room with grippe. Guine said parental objections forced him to break his engagement. Miss Borden immediately sued for \$500,000.

VISIT MURDER SCENE.

WALSENBERG, Col., March 5.—The scene of the La Veta murders, where four coal mine guards in an auto were shot down from ambush last November, was inspected yesterday by the congressional committee investigating the Colorado coal strike. Several union men were arrested last fall charged with the crime.

COMMONS FAVOR EXPO

LONDON, March 5.—A request that the British government reconsider its refusal to participate in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco signed by more than 250 members of the house of commons, was presented today to Prime Minister Asquith.

START PROBE OF BENTON'S DEATH

Carranza's Commission Gets to Juarez Prepared to Open Inquiry as Ordered

HUERTA IN ODD ANNOUNCEMENT

Vague Bulletin Refers to Wilson Having Requested Peace Conference; Denied at Washington

EL PASO, Texas, March 5.—The special committee appointed by General Venustiano Carranza to investigate the execution of William S. Benton, a British subject, established itself in Juarez today and spent the day arranging preliminaries for the examination of witnesses who will establish whether or not the law was lived up to. Nearly all the members of the military court martial which tried Benton and many of the witnesses who testified for or against him are either in Chihuahua or at some outpost with General Francisco Villa's army and much time will be lost in procuring their appearance, if they are procured at all.

General Carranza also ordered the commission by telegraph to investigate the disappearance of Gustave Bauch, American.

Villa's Guns Arrive

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, March 5.—General Francisco Villa declared today that he had been advised of the receipt at Juarez of important shipments for which he had been waiting and he believed he would be ready to start for Torreon tomorrow or Saturday at the latest. The long awaited big guns have arrived and will be tried out at target and range finding practice this afternoon.

Mystery in Statement

MEXICO CITY, March 5.—Diplomats and foreigners here today were puzzled about a mysterious official statement regarding a peace conference at The Hague.

"The Mexican government has accepted the invitation of the president of the United States to reach an agreement in order to arrange the preliminaries for the meeting of a peace conference next year at The Hague," was the text of a formal statement issued by the foreign office.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires, refused to comment on the statement. The Huerta officials declined to discuss the matter or to amplify the situation. Refugees of high degree poured into Mexico City today by every train from Guadaluajara, terrified by the rebel attack on Tesisatan. The town is very near to Guadaluajara, which is the most fashionable winter resort in Mexico.

Yaquis Kill Americans

LOS ANGELES, March 5.—Yaqui Indians have raided several American ranches in the Yaqui valley, Sonora, Mexico, killing one American and firing several ranch buildings, according to word received today by Charles O'Brien from friends in that valley. O'Brien telegraphed United States Senator Perkins requesting him to interest the state department and the California congressional delegation in the matter.

Invitation Explained

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Mystery surrounding an official announcement at Mexico City today that the Huerta government "accepted" an invitation from the president of the United States to participate in a peace conference, was dispelled here today. And, incidentally, official comment upon the apparent desire of the Huerta government to mislead citizens of Mexico.

The invitation which Huerta received to participate in the Hague peace conference came from Queen Wilhelmina of Holland. The only part the United States had in it was that this government took the initiative in suggesting the calling of another peace conference.

PRESIDENT URGES CONGRESS TO BACK UP FOREIGN POLICY AND REPEAL FREE TOLL ACT

"Gentlemen of the Congress: I have come to you on an errand which can be very briefly performed, but I beg that you will not measure its importance by the number of sentences in which I state it. No communication I have addressed to the congress carried with it graver or more far-reaching implications to the interests of the country, and I come now to speak upon a matter with regard to which I am charged in a peculiar degree, by the constitution itself, with personal responsibility.

"I have come to ask for the repeal of that provision of the Panama canal act of August 24, 1912, which exempts vessels engaged in the coastwise trade of the United States from payment of tolls and to urge upon you the justice, the wisdom and the large policy of such a repeal with the utmost earnestness of which I am capable.

WILSON APPEALS FOR CHANGE IN PANAMA TOLLS

Urges Congress to Repeal Act Exempting American Coastwise Ships

WILL INTERFERE WITH POLICY

Veiled Reference to Mexican Trouble with Great Britain Closes Message

UNDERWOOD NOT WITH THE CHIEF

Leader of House Democrats Indicates He Is in Disagreement with the President

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Repeal of the "free tolls" given American coastwise vessels in the Panama canal act was earnestly urged upon congress today by President Wilson. He read a brief but portentous message to a joint session of the senate and house at 2:30, requesting the repeal.

Repeal is Vital

"I shall not know how to deal with other matters of even greater delicacy and nearer consequence if you do not grant it (the repeal) in ungrudging measure," was the significant closing statement of the president. In this manner he subtly, but plainly told congress how vital the "free tolls" repeal is considered in relation to the Mexican situation. This was his veiled reference to the acknowledged desire to accede to Great Britain's demands for repeal of the tolls discrimination in favor of American vessels, to insure the support by Great Britain of this country's course in Mexico.

The usual assemblage of cabinet officers and other dignitaries was present today to hear the president's message—his sixth personal "address." The house galleries were jammed despite a snow storm. An unusual number of the diplomatic corps were seated in their reserved galleries.

In his brief address of exactly 417 words, the president did not directly mention the Baltimore platform declaration for free tolls.

No Specific Reasons

He did not give specific reasons for urging the repeal of the exemption clause.

"I have not come to you to urge my personal views," he said, "I have come to state a fact and a situation."

After stating that the exemption "constitutes a mistaken economic policy," the president said that every nation regards the Hay-Pauncefote treaty as binding upon United States against giving preferential treatment to American vessels. He said he asked the repeal "in support of the foreign policy of the administration."

The president entered at 12:34 and walked quietly and directly to the clerk's desk in front of the presiding officers.

Prolonged applause from all sections of the chamber greeted his appearance. He began reading his address at 12:35, proceeding clearly and deliberately.

The president finished at 12:39. It took just four minutes to read the message. A loud and long burst of applause marked the close of the message and the president's departure. Many members, however, did not join in the demonstration.

Underwood Opposes

Democratic Leader Underwood of the house would not comment on the president's address today. He said a party caucus was not probable and that he would reserve his comment until he makes a speech on the subject.

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RAILROADS LOSE IN RATE FIGHT

Morris Says Opinion in Washington Is That Their Campaign Has Broken Down

REFUSES TO DISCUSS POLITICS

Returns from Madison Where He Secured Data to Be Used in Campaign for Senate

"One of the most interesting which I found at Washington was the belief that there would be no five per cent increase in railroad freight rates," said Lieutenant Governor Thomas Morris, who returned to La Crosse from Madison last night. Mr. Morris recently returned from Washington, where he met Senator La Follette, Louis D. Brandeis and others interested in resisting the effort of the railroads to increase their rates. Mr. Morris was in Madison for the purpose of supplementing the information which he has already secured with further facts that he will use in the speaking campaign which he expects to open in about two weeks for the republican nomination for United States senator.

He declines at this time to make any comment upon state issues, saying that he would present them in complete form in his campaign through the state.

Campaign Broken

"The railroad campaign to force the five per cent increase has broken down," continued Mr. Morris. "Railroad men realize that the effort has failed. The investigation already shows that upwards of \$15,000,000 are given away annually to favored shippers. It is certain from the facts already determined in a preliminary survey that the complete investigation will disclose that the railroads in the classification territory are giving away in the form of rebates to favored shippers more than the entire \$50,000,000 increase asked for in the five per cent petition."

"This service was rendered the nation because of the ability of Louis D. Brandeis in getting to the bottom of the facts of the railroad business. Although the railroads maintained great press bureaus at Washington, Senator La Follette, using Mr. Brandeis' facts, in editorials and on the public platform, succeeded in keeping the public informed of the true facts."

MUST J. P.'S BE ELECTED?

MILWAUKEE, March 5.—Ten justices of the peace today read up on laws governing their offices. Their activity was caused by the action of Justice McLogan, recently appointed by the city council. His claim is that to be legally in office a justice must be selected by the people. Suit with possible fines of \$25 to \$2,000 is threatened if the others do not quit business.

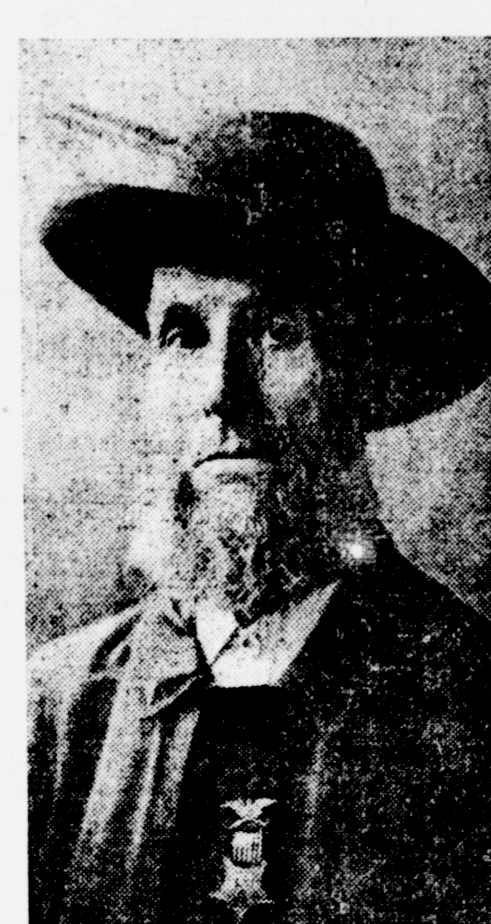
NUDE BODY FOUND

MILWAUKEE, March 5.—The nude and frozen body of a man, evidently about 30 years old, was found by three laborers on the lake shore here early today. From impressions in the snow the body had rolled over the embankment. Although there were not many bruises, it was thought the man was murdered. No identification has been made.

PHONES GOOD-BYE—DIES

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., March 5.—Bertha Tillitz, 20 years of age, the telephone operator here, called up a young man friend of hers, C. Ware at 3 o'clock this morning and bade him good-bye. Ware became suspicious and immediately went to the telephone office. He found Miss Tillitz dead, she having committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

Veteran Who Died Tuesday Aged 104



William Taylor, veteran of Mexican and civil wars, who died at home of his daughter in Denver after spending much of his life in La Crosse. Mr. Taylor was long doorkeeper of the circuit court in La Crosse.

ASK PARDON FOR PHILLIP C. ALLEN

Moving Picture and Theatrical People Claim La Crosse Man Was Victim of a Woman

MADE JEALOUS BY LOVE SCENES

Friend of "Doctor" Says Supposed Wife Plotted Because of Husband's "Love Scenes"

Maintaining that Ralph C. Allen, sentenced from here to serve ten years in Waupun for white slavery, was the victim of a woman's jealousy and that he is innocent of the crime, moving picture and other theatrical people have written Governor McGovern for a pardon.

Allen was a pseudo doctor and theatrical promoter and had worked in Portage, Madison and other places. The crime for which he was sentenced was bringing a young lady to La Crosse from Minneapolis on the pretext of making her leading lady in a show, but in reality, it was claimed, for immoral purposes.

Mr. Lyman R. Odell, East St. Louis, Ill., a friend of "Dr." Allen, claims his proposed show was a reality and that the case against him was the work of a woman, insanely jealous because of the passionate scenes in which "Dr." Allen and the St. Paul girl indulged during the play.

Governor McGovern has advised the thespians to file a formal application for pardon.

LIKES MEN WHO ROBBED HIM

CHICAGO, March 5.—Frank Emme, Italian saloonkeeper, told the police that he isn't a bit "sore" at yeggmen, who early today rolled a 3,500 pound safe out the back door, trundled it a block and then blew it, obtaining \$35. Emme thinks the yeggmen knew that his wife, in a room upstairs, was awaiting the arrival of a stork and didn't want to make unnecessary noise.

QUESTIONS WOMEN'S VERDICT

WATTS, Cal., March 5.—Allegation that one of the jury of women that found him guilty of riding a bicycle on the sidewalk was excused so she might go home to nurse her baby, was made today by W. W. Watts, principal of the Watts school, who took an appeal. The women jurors recommended leniency in Watt's case and he got off with a \$3 fine.

WON'T INDICT SLAYER

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 5.—Henry Zang may not be tried for the slaying of Gutman Wesley "Red" Simon, for the grand jury voted to drop the murder charge against him after considering the evidence. Zang, who was chief witness against Simon in a murder trial for a gang murder, claims he shot "Red" in self defense. Release of Zang now rests with Circuit Attorney Harvey.

TWO NEW CASES

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill., March 5.—Although there were two new cases of scarlet fever at the University of Illinois today, health authorities were hopeful that by the end of the week, the epidemic would have passed and most quarantines could be lifted.

POWERLESS TO REDUCE TAXES SAYS GAYLORD

Socialist and Former Legislator Says They Will Increase Under Any Administration

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP IS SOLUTION

Says Regulation Is Duplication of Expenses and Is Responsible for High Cost

CO-OPERATIVE PLAN HERE WRONG

Says It Should Start with Consumer Rather Than Producer to Reduce Living Cost

That taxes in Wisconsin will not be reduced but increased, no matter whether the next state administration is republican, democratic or socialist, and that the solution of the high tax problem is in public ownership, was the declaration this morning of Senator Winfield R. Gaylord, Milwaukee.

Senator Gaylord is a socialist and served four years in the Wisconsin senate from one of the Milwaukee districts. He is in La Crosse to lecture tonight at the Baptist church on "How Socialism is Coming."

"The only way any party can reduce taxes," said Senator Gaylord this morning, "is to put them off for a few years. That is the way Dave Rose worked it while mayor of Milwaukee."

"The increasing complexity of society puts larger demands upon government for the protection of common life."

Public Ownership.
"As long as we have private property in things that are social necessities the attempt to regulate is inevitable. Probably the whole success of regulation will be found in the gathering of information to be used later in the public administration of the same properties under public ownership."

"Meanwhile regulation is a duplication of the administrative system—therefore the constantly increasing cost of government."

"Co-op" Plan Wrong
Senator Gaylord contends that the co-operative plan now being urged in Wisconsin is fundamentally wrong because the organization, it is planned, starts with the producer. To be successful, he contends, it must begin with the consumer and work back to the producer. To substantiate him in this contention he points to the immense success of the co-operative movement in Great Britain, Germany, Belgium and elsewhere.

"The co-operative proposition is taken up by politicians," said Senator Gaylord, "to appease the farmer but, if followed on the lines proposed here, will do nothing to reduce the cost of living to the consumer. Even the elimination of the middleman would not necessarily reduce prices in the city."

"The farmers get together in a co-operative creamery. They do this to raise the standard of his products and the prices. This has been accomplished here in Wisconsin. Does the consumer pay any less for his butter, or cheese?"

HUNT MYSTERIOUS STABBER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 5.—Police today continued a search for the man who late last night stabbed Mrs. Mattie O'Donnell at her home.

WEATHER

Temperature ranges yesterday:
High, 41.
Low, 32.
Precipitation, .04.
Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Friday; somewhat colder tonight; brisk northwest winds.
For Wisconsin: Light snow tonight with somewhat colder west portion; Friday generally fair; brisk to high southwest shifting to northwest winds.
For Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and Friday; somewhat colder tonight; brisk to high northwest winds.
For Iowa: Fair tonight and Friday; somewhat colder tonight; moderate to brisk northwest winds.
Weather Conditions
An area of moderately low pressure extends from Manitoba to the east gulf states and rain and snow is falling at most stations within this section, with higher temperatures. A moderate high covers the Pacific slope and plateau region.
Snow will probably continue in this section today and be followed by generally fair weather tonight and Friday. The temperature will be somewhat lower tonight.

DOERFLINGER'S.

YOU PAY LESS HERE

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of Women's Petticoats

As the old saying goes, "It's ill wind blows nobody good." The Women of La Crosse and vicinity will reap the benefit of a manufacturer's financial difficulties. We purchased from this manufacture, a lot of Women's Cotton Petticoats, in colors of Black, Brown, Grey, Tan, Copenhagen and Navy Blue. These Garments have a seven inch Accordion Pleated Flounce, with hand embroidered galloon heading. These Garments never sold for less than \$1.25 to \$1.50, 79c special for Friday and Saturday each

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M'GOVERN CUTS
LAW SENTENCE

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—Gov. McGovern on Wednesday commuted the sentence of Dr. A. R. Law of Madison, a convict in the state prison at Waupun, from six to three years.

Dr. Law was found guilty in the Dane county circuit court of manslaughter in the second degree for causing the death of Mrs. An O'Brien by a criminal operation and was sentenced on Sept. 25, 1912, to a term of six years. He will be eligible to parole on March 15 next and will doubtless be paroled by the board of control at its monthly meeting in April. Dr. Law is 65 years old and for many years was a leading physician and surgeon of Madison.

The Elopement.
Muriel—When you eloped with George, did you leave a note telling your people where you had gone? Gabrielle—Why, of course. If I hadn't, how would papa have known where to send us any money?



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Museum of Daily
Facts and Freaks

Girls "Masque" as Evils

CHICAGO, March 5.—Because two girls went to a masquerade censored of masquerade dances has been appointed in South Chicago.

Prefers Jail to Home Life

CHICAGO.—Offered his liberty if he went home with his wife, Ben Greenburg told the court that after thirty days trial he preferred the county jail.

Thought Kiss Was Ceremony

NEW YORK.—That she thought a kiss was enough to make her his wife and that Augustus H. Hall carried diamonds as big as goose eggs in his pockets, was the testimony of Mrs. Emma L. Hall, suing for divorce.

They "Beheaded" Traitors' Ears

NEW YORK.—Former Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty, advertising his detective agency, goes back to 599 B. C., in a panegyric on loyalty saying the penalty then for a "breach of that virtue was the decapitation of both ears."

Ruby Pearl Not a Jewel

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—"Her name was Ruby and she added the Pearl but she was far from a jewel, at that," complained John McKee to Judge Monroe, seeking a divorce from Ruby Pearl McKee. He got it.

Prison for Kiss-theft

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—Charles Gustin, osculating highwayman, faces prison sentence here for robbery. He held up pretty Daisy Stagwell, robbed her of a dime, returned the coin and pilfered three kisses. A jury found him guilty.

Says Pugs Are Mean Husbands

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—"Never marry a prize fighter, girls; they are the meanest men on earth." This advice was given here today by Mrs. Birdie LaGrave, who has applied for a divorce from Antonio LaGrave, the pugilist. She charges extreme cruelty.

And Sadie Kissed the Judge

PORTLAND, Ore.—So grateful was Sadie Miller when Municipal Judge Stevenson allowed her to stay in her lodgings in a dubious neighborhood until she had money enough to move that she seized his honor and kissed him.

Would End Life in Pen

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—Released from the penitentiary after twenty-one years imprisonment, Simon Begley, 70, a physical and mental wreck, said he would rather spend the rest of his days in prison.

ONALASKA, WIS.

Anna M. Lowry delivered a lecture on the Convent here last night. She attracted a large audience, and scores of farmers from the surrounding country came in to listen to her discussion.

Mrs. T. B. O'Brien and daughter, Miss Maude returned Saturday from Minneapolis after enjoying a short visit there with relatives.

Sam Collins returned to his home at Taylor, Wis., Saturday after spending a week with his brother, B. F. Collins, and family.

Art Holthous was at Stevens Point Friday to witness the basketball game between the La Crosse normal and Stevens Point.

W. W. Schall of St. Paul spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with his family.

Miss Viva Stifter returned to Minneapolis Tuesday after enjoying a few days' visit here with relatives and friends.

Miss Carrie Saunders entertained the members of her Sunday school class Friday evening. Refreshments were served and a royal good time was reported by the boys.

A. B. Robbins returned Saturday from a business trip through Texas. Mr. Robbins was favorably impressed with the climate in that country.

George D. Johnson and family moved their household goods and stock from their farm north of the city to Chaschburg where they will reside.

A. Mathewson of La Crosse was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. R. R. Mathieson and son Ralph went to Coon Valley Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with relatives. Mrs. George Pooler is spending the week at the home of W. H. Kreuger of Holmen.

Otto Struck returned Sunday evening from a short visit at Mt. Horeb and Reedsburg, Wis.

THE TRIBUNE'S
Daily
Short Story

One Saturday Afternoon

By JANE RODMAN GROVES

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"Phyllis! Phyllis! Phyllis! where are you? Where in the world has that youngster gone?"

Carolyn Woods stood in the doorway of the deserted nursery and listened. There was not a sound in the house.

Then outside the siren of a passing automobile thrilled up the scale and down again. Something in the sound made her uneasy. Adventure—some little Phyllis and her danger from motors was an inexhaustible mine of conversation in her sister's household.

Since the beginning of her visit four weeks ago, Carolyn had heard it until she had lost patience. It was "Shut the gate, Carry, so the baby cannot get into the street," or "Katie, when you take Miss Phyllis out be sure to hold her hand."

"You are foolish to worry so much about her," Carolyn remarked one day to her sister.

"Well, Carry, it need not worry you. I have never asked you to take care of her, have I?"

But the day came when she had to do it.

Carolyn loved the child, but indeed she saw little of her. The pretty guest of the Martins was very popular, and since her arrival had been fed everywhere. The odd hours not filled by golf, tennis, parties or returning calls were usually occupied by a very good-looking successful young attorney by the name of Pierson Latshaw.

It seemed altogether likely that when she went home she would leave her heart behind and take his with her.

When Carolyn came home today at noon, disheveled and flushed from a victory at tennis, Mrs. Martin met her at the door, frantically imparting the news that every maid in the house had left, including Katie, the nurse, without an instant's notice.

"It just means, Carry, that as soon as we can hunt up a bite of lunch—con, I shall have to go down town to an employment office and you will have to look after baby. Will you?"

"Sure. What time will you be home?"

"About 3. Why?"

"Because there is to be a ball game between the lawyers and doctors this afternoon and Pierson asked me if I would go. He is going to pitch for the lawyers. But you go ahead. I will keep Phyllis. There will be plenty of time. When she is having her nap, I can wash my head. It is too hot to go down town for a shampoo anyway."

Her sister gone, Carolyn had tucked Phyllis into her little bed and sat beside her softly singing a little lullaby until she went to sleep. Then she tiptoed out, leaving the door open, that she might hear the tiniest sound.

She slipped into a loose, cool kimono, and flat satin slippers as quickly as she could and peeped into the nursery. Everything was lovely and Phyllis was fast asleep. Then, hurriedly, she shampooed her hair, squeezed out the water, and went over for another peep. Still everything was lovely. The baby had settled down to have a good nap.

At the end of the hall a door opened out to a second-story veranda. It was sunny and secluded, an ideal place to dry her hair.

Suddenly she thought of the baby. She flew to the nursery. This time it was empty. She called and got no answer.

The siren of the automobile repeated its warning. Then another one shrieked as it passed. That spurred her into instant action.

If the screen doors downstairs were locked, there was still a chance of the child being in the house, but Phyllis loved the street, and Carolyn knew she must hurry. As she fled past a long hall mirror, she caught a glimpse of herself. Heavens! She couldn't run around outside looking like that!

But a hurried search of the first floor proved futile, likewise the yard and garden, for Carolyn had found the front door unlatched.

A high hedge that bordered the grounds had screened her so far

from the gaze of passersby. What should she do now? The empty yard, the open gate meant that Phyllis was somewhere in the street. To make it worse, another automobile blew its horn.

Carolyn pulled her kimono together at the throat and peered out of the gate. There was a look in her eyes that must be in those of every parachute jumper just before he makes his first high plunge.

The street was almost deserted at that moment, and to her dismay no little figure was in sight. That settled it! In an instant she was out on the sidewalk calling at the top of her lungs.

Then she had an inspiration. Across the street lived another little girl who had a sand pile in her backyard. Likely the baby was there. Carolyn darted across.

But the backyard was empty, and no one answered when she called. The house stood on a corner, and distracted by this time, she made for the side street.

Sure enough! About a block away trotted a little golden-haired, pink-clad figure in her bare feet. At the same instant she heard the brassy notes of a band that was just turning the corner beyond coming straight toward them.

What should she do? The parade meant a crowd, but she had to reach the baby before she could get hurt. At any minute she might dart into the middle of the street and be killed.

Carolyn thought no more. She put her head down and ran. But she did not seem to gain much. It was surprising how those little legs could get over the ground. She passed plenty of people now, who smiled and looked after her.

Then in her flight, she noticed the marchers following the red uniformed band. They were very close now. It was the Saturday afternoon ball clubs on their way to the grounds. All the representative doctors and lawyers in town, and Pierson was in the front row! Her legs seemed paralyzed and she grew icy cold.

Sensation seemed dead. She felt as though she were standing still, rooted to the spot with mortification and fright. In reality she was running like mad, on, on after Phyllis.

An ice truck that had been standing in front of a house, began to move—and just then Phyllis took to the middle of the street. The driver, watching the parade instead of steering his wheel and the roadway, did not see the baby. On it came! Five yards, two, a foot—people screaming and turned away their heads. But Carolyn sprang out and caught Phyllis in her arms, just as the truck rolled past. Then she fell exhausted, unable to move another step.

Three hours later Pierson Latshaw rang the doorbell at the Martin's. Mrs. Martin with Phyllis came to the door. "Pierson," she cried, "I am so glad you came. It was very kind of you to see that Carry and Phyllis were brought home. But Carry was not hurt the least bit, except her feelings. What do you think she is doing now? Packing her trunk to go home! I cannot do a thing with her. She says she is the laughing stock of the whole town because she looked so frightful. But I will send her down. Do see if you can coax her to stay."

"I think I will go back to the summer house if you don't mind, Mrs. Martin; it is always cool there and I have had a strenuous afternoon. Come along, Phyllis, I will tell you about the five little squirrels."

Pierson was patiently repeating the last line for the sixth time. "Then bang went the gun and away they all ran!" when Carolyn appeared in the doorway.

"I guess my good fairy just got me here in time to say 'Good-by.' Your sister says you are going home."

"Yes; I thought I would not stay to read the headlines in the Sunday papers. Oh, Pierson, can't you see it?" Her eyes filled with tears. "Society girl believes in dress reform." "Sweet sylph some sprinter." Heavens, I can't face it." She shivered.

"Look here, Carolyn, that is just what I came for. I was afraid you would worry. But I have fixed the papers. I know the editors of all three. However, it wasn't necessary. The whole town is crazy about you. If you could just have seen yourself. You looked darling and it was so brave. The best of it is you didn't think of yourself nor wait to fix up, and, by Jove, it is a blamed good thing you didn't! Now will you stay?"

Carolyn was very happy but un-

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The Scotch Lassie Was
Much Admired.Daddy's Bedtime
Story— The Fairies' Beautiful Big Masquerade Ball.

"YOU haven't told us a story about the fairies for ever so long, daddy," said Evelyn.

"Yes; that's true," agreed Jack. "Won't you please tell us one this evening?"

"Let me think," said daddy. "Did I ever tell you about the masquerade ball they gave?"

"No," said Evelyn. "Do tell us about it."

"You know," continued daddy, "a masquerade ball is a very special kind of ball, for at it every one dresses up in fancy costume so that no one will know who it is."

"The fairies thought it would be such fun to have a masquerade ball. They spoke to the fairy queen about it, and she was just as enthusiastic."

"I think it would be splendid," she said. "Let's have it tomorrow evening at 8 sharp."

"The next night promptly at 8 all the fairies gathered together. And such costumes as there were! There were witches, wisecracks, dominoes, Japs, jesters, milkmaids, mermaids, clowns, cowboys, princes, kings, queens, soldiers, etc. They were to wear masks till supper time."

"But one fairy seemed to be the center of admiration. She was a little Scotch lassie. She wore a velvet jacket and a plaid skirt. Her little legs were bare, and on her feet were black velvet slippers with shiny buckles on them."

"The fairies talked to one another in queer disguised voices, so no one would be able to recognize them by their voices. The little Scotch lassie didn't speak at all, but she danced the highland fling, and it completely fascinated all the fairies."

"At last supper time came, and they all eagerly watched to see who every one was, and especially the little Scotch lassie. And who do you suppose it was?"

"Could it have been the queen?" asked Evelyn.

"Yes, indeed; that is just who it was. They all at once said, 'Fairly queen, you've taken the prize.'"

"But I can't accept my own prize," said she.

"You must," said all the fairies, "for you are perfectly marvelous."

"Well, that's a funny thing to offer a prize and then to keep it. But anyway, I can divide it, as it is a box of sugar plums."

"Goodie!" they all cried.

decided. "I don't see how I can now, Pierson. Everything is packed and I hate to change my mind again after it is made up."

Pierson stooped and looked into her eyes. He took both her hands in his and drew them up to his breast.

"But I love you, dear. I can't get along without you. I want to have you with me always and always."

Heart Trouble.
"What's the matter with your daughter, Mme. Benoit? She looks very pale!"

"Heart disease, Mme. Gibou."

"Gracious—not an aneurism, I hope?"

"No, a bank clerk."—Paris Journal.

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FEBRUARY 7,579
Daily Average

1—Sunday	7,561	15—Sunday	7,585
2—Mon	7,561	16—Mon	7,639
3—Tues	7,554	17—Tues	7,639
4—Wed	7,554	18—Wed	7,659
5—Thurs	7,562	19—Thurs	7,557
6—Fri	7,598	20—Fri	7,561
7—Sat	7,581	21—Sat	7,572
8—Sunday	7,599	22—Sunday	7,569
9—Mon	7,581	23—Mon	7,563
10—Tues	7,587	24—Tues	7,563
11—Wed	7,587	25—Wed	7,559
12—Thurs	7,592	26—Thurs	7,567
13—Fri	7,592	27—Fri	7,571
14—Sat	7,592	28—Sat	7,571
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of March, 1914.
A. E. BLECKMAN,
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THE PROBLEM OF THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

Some time since we published a criticism of the method of reporting the proceedings of the associated charities, on the ground that these reports do not so itemize cash expenditures and separate them from donated articles in the relief work as to permit intelligent consideration of the suggestion that the amount actually spent for relief is so small when compared to the overhead cost as to make the institution hopey.

It should be understood that no question as to the honesty of the reports was raised, but that lack of completeness in detail was the objection made. Nor do we assume a deliberate purpose to withhold information, institutions of this sort often do not contemplate themselves as in any way accountable to the public. For instance, so far as we know, there has never been a published report of the financial transactions of the La Crosse Library, yet no one would question the integrity of that institution. However, without debating the extent to which the public has a right to be informed, we submit that the fullest publicity would tend to improve the public attitude toward organizations of this character.

In the case of the associated charities, the secretary informs us that the reports which we criticised, while intelligible in detail to the directors, to whom they are made, have omitted details necessary for the public's comprehension because to add them would render the report long and

complex. She adds that the necessary additional information can be provided in the form of footnotes, and that in future this will be done.

We are not in a position to say, even after full examination of a detailed report with which we have been provided, that the charge of opaqueness is made without foundation. But we are prepared to say positively that the general policy is sound, and that to be justified, any saving in operating expense would have to be made without crippling the system.

In a word: the ultimately most valuable work of charity is not the giving of alms, but the development of dependants to make them self-supporting; it is sound and far-seeing, and while spot relief to the immediate necessities of the helpless is essential, the latter is but the first incident of the greater work.

The question, then, is: Can the integrity and efficiency of the system be preserved at a lesser cost?

We shall not attempt to answer, now. Those who have displayed interest in the matter would do well to secure the reports and attempt to reach that conclusion which the facts warrant. As we understand the situation, most if not all the larger contributors are satisfied.

After all, the vital question of efficiency in work of this kind is one of the spirit put into it—whether it is done enthusiastically, or perfunctorily. The knowledge that some citizens have criticised should be valuable to the active workers in the institution: It should lead to self-analysis, and a close study of the organization, by its friends, from within. A bad thing should be abandoned—a good thing may be improved.

THAT'S WHAT'S BITING 'EM

Pointing out the fact that the Wausau Record-Herald and the Madison Democrat, arch reactionaries, have made specific demand for the abolition of the tax commission, The Milwaukee Journal says:

"Why this declaration of war against the state tax commission in particular? Well, it is a significant fact that all these Tory organs have from the start been bitterly hostile to the state graduated income tax law."

Yes, and beside, there is that officious Adam giving the statistical lie to falsifiers on the tax question. No doubt in having told the truth about state taxes Mr. Adams has been "dabbling in politics."

However, it was unkind of The Journal to remind the Democrat and the Record-Herald that the tax commission is not one of those "tax eating commissions" foisted upon an unsuspecting public by the progressive republicans, but was created by Governor Scofield, "The Last of the Mohicans."

PLUMBERS MUST GET PERMIT.

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—Master or journeymen plumbers who are at work without license where the state law declares that they must have one, are liable and should be prosecuted by the district attorney of the county in which they are operating, according to an opinion given out by Attorney General Walter Owen yesterday.

SUES STATE FOR ALMONY.

MILWAUKEE, March 5.—After waiting seventeen years and until after her husband had died, Mr. Laura Burghardt has started suit for back alimony accruing since 1897, when the couple was divorced in Chicago. Burghardt was ordered to pay \$2 per week and the sum sued for is \$2,675.

OPERATE FOR X-RAY BURNS.

KLONDIKE, Wis., March 4.—Andrew Brickner underwent a second operation at Green Bay yesterday following the failure of X-ray burns made last fall, to heal. Brickner has suffered since November, when an X-ray picture of a fractured leg was taken.

Some people are so clumsy that they couldn't even tumble into luck without hurting themselves.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

"If I Had Known"
If I had known in the morning
How wearily all the day
The words unkind
Would trouble my mind
I said when you went away.
I had been more careful, darling,
Nor given you needless pain,
But we vex "our own"
With look and tone
We might never take back again.

For though in the quiet evening
You may give me the kiss of peace,
Yet it might be
That never for me
The pain of the heart would cease.
How many go forth in the morning
That never come home at night;
And hearts have broken
At harsh words spoken
That sorrow can ne'er set right.

We have careful thoughts for the stranger,
And smiles for the coming guest;
But oft for our own
The bitter tone,
Though we love our own the best;
Ah! lips with the curve impatient!
Ah! brow with that look of scorn!
'Twere cruel fate
Were the night too late
To undo the work of the morn.
—Margaret E. Sangster.

Certain Donkeys Barred

A successful agricultural show is carried on each year in a certain village in the south of Ireland. Among the many competitors for the encouragement of thrift and cleanliness is one for the best turned out donkey and cart. The prize for this was usually won by the local doctor or the solicitor. After one year's show the farmers and working classes protested that it was not quite fair to expect their hardy used animals to compete successfully with the well cared for and well groomed animals of those who generally won the prize.

In consequence of this protest the following proviso in connection with this competition appeared in the show placard the following year: "All legal and medical donkeys excluded."

Everybody Works but Father

Mrs. Capron saw old Uncle Timothy starting away on a fishing expedition, and knowing how hard his wife worked, thought it a good time to reproach him "for his laziness."

"Timothy," she said, "do you think it's right to leave your wife at the wash tub while you pass your time fishing?"

"Yessum, miss," replied the old colored man: "it's all right. Mah wife don't need any watching. She'll wuk jes' as hard as if I was dah."

The Mean Men

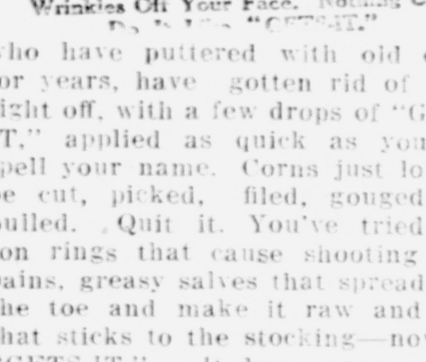
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"Why, what did she do?" inquired Mrs. Henpeck.

"Oh, she just stood in front of the polling place one afternoon sobbing: 'What do you think of those men? The polls don't close for two hours yet, and they won't let me change my vote,'" said Mr. Henpeck with a grin.

Music Good for the Hair
He was a lover of music, who had just been to hear Puccini's "Madam Butterfly," and he was expatiating upon its beauties to an unresponsive friend, whom he observed to yawn.

The music lover was hurt.

"Look here, John," he protested, "don't you think music is of some practical benefit in life?"

"Oh, yes," said the unresponsive one. "Why, judging from the portraits I have seen of eminent musicians, especially pianists, I should say that music is great to keep the hair from falling out."

On Guard
Old Lady—My little boy, have you no better way to spend this beautiful afternoon than by standing about idling away your time?

Boy—I ain't idling away my time. There's Mr. Clamphed inside making love to my sister and he's paying me 10 cents an hour to watch for pa.

Lending Eggs
"I have eggs as cheap as 20 cents, ma'am, but I wouldn't guarantee 'em."

"Well, send me a dozen, please. They'll do to lend to the neighbors."

—Life.

Lesson from a Master

One morning after the street organs got hold of his "Washington Post March" John Philip Sousa ran across an Irishman playing the maren at a dirge-like pace which set his teeth on edge. Snatching the handle of the organ away from him, Sousa exclaimed, angrily:

"My heavens, man! Why don't you play it with a little energy? There's nobody dead in this terrace!"

The Irishman stood by, open-eyed with wonder, as Sousa dashed through the measures of the march at a rattling pace.

"And who are you, anyhow?" he exclaimed.

"I am Mr. Sousa," exclaimed the bandmaster. "I composed that march. Don't mind my giving you a friendly hint!"

The Irishman retired with his features wreathed in smile. Next morning an enormous placard appeared about his neck. It was printed in red ink and ran as follows: "A pupil of Sousa."

Impossible

"The Venus of Milo would never have joined in the cry of votes for women."

"Because she was too well satisfied with the power of beauty?"

"Oh, no, that. She never would be able to take things into her own hands."—Baltimore American.

Clean Winds

According to a conservative estimate, in an ocean steamer of 100 feet beam, 350 feet in length and 60,000 horsepower, no less than 20 per cent of the horsepower, or about 12,000, would be consumed in overcoming headwind resistance when the ship was steaming at fifteen knots against a sixty-five mile gale.

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By HAROLD MACGRATH

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Her immediate relatives were dead; those who were distantly related remained so, as they had no part in her life nor she in theirs. Relatives, even the best of them, are practically strangers to us. They have their own affairs and interests, and if these touch ours it is generally through the desire to inherit what we have. So Elsa went her way alone. From her father she had inherited a remarkable and seldom errant judgment. To her, faces were generally book-covers, they repelled or attracted; and she found large and unimpressive interest in the faculty of pressing back the covers and reading the text. Often battered covers held treasures, and often the editions de luxe were swindles. But in between the battered covers and the exquisite Florentine hand-tooling there ranged a row of mediocre books; and it was among these that Elsa found that her instinct was not wholly infallible, as will be seen.

Today she was facing the first problem of her young life, epochal. She was, as it were, to stop and begin life anew. And she didn't know, she wasn't sure.

There were few passengers aboard. There were three fussy old English maidens under the protection of a still fussier old colonel, who disagreed with everybody because his liver disagreed with him. Twenty years of active service in Upper India had seriously damaged that physiological function, and "pegs" no longer mellowed him. The quartet greatly amused Elsa. Their nods were abrupt, and they spoke in the most formal manner. She was under grave suspicion: in the first place, she was traveling alone, in the second place, she was an American. At table there was generally a desultory conversation, and many a bark of malice. Elsa shot from her howl. Figuratively, the colonel walked about like a porcupine, peevish with arrows instead of quills. Elsa could have shouted at times, for the old war-dog was perfectly oblivious. There was, besides, the inevitable German tourist, who shelled with questions every man who wore brass-buttons, until there was some serious talk of dropping him astern some day. He had shelled the colonel, but that gentleman was

snugly encased in the finest and most impenetrable Bessemer, "compacency."

Upon these Irrawaddy boats the purser is usually the master of ceremonies in the dining-saloon. The captain and his officers rarely condescended. Perhaps it was too much trouble to dress; perhaps tourists had disgusted them with life; at any rate, they remained in obscurity.

Elsa usually sat at the purser's right, and tonight she found the stranger sitting quietly at her side. The chair had been vacant since the departure from Mandalay. Evidently the purser had decided to be thorough in regard to her wishes. It would look less conspicuous to make the introduction in this manner. And she wanted to meet this man who had almost made her cry out in astonishment.

"Miss Chetwood, Mr. Warrington." This was as far as the purser would intend.

The colonel's eyes popped; the hands of the three maidens fluttered. Warrington bowed awkwardly, for he was decidedly confused.

"Hat!" boomed the German. "Vat do you thak uff . . ."

And from soup to coffee Warrington eluded, dodged, stepped under and ran around the fusillade of questions.

Elsa laughed softly. There were breathing-spells, to be sure. Under the cover of this verbal bombardment she found time to inspect the stranger. The likeness, so close at hand, started a ringing in her ears and a flutter in her throat. It was almost unbelievable. He was bigger, broader, his eyes were keener, but there was only one real difference: this man was rugged, whereas Arthur was elegant. It was as if nature had taken two forms from the same mold, and had finished but one of them. His voice was not unpleasant, but there were little sharp points of harshness in it, due quite possibly to the dust.

"I am much interested in that little parrot of yours. I have heard about him."

"Oh! I suppose you've heard what they call us?" His eyes looked straight into hers, smilingly.

"Parrot & Co.? Yes. Will you show him off tomorrow?"

"I shall be very happy to."

But all the while he was puzzling over the purser's unaccountable action in deliberately introducing him to this brown-eyed, golden-skinned, young woman. Never before had such a thing occurred upon these boats. True, he had occasionally been spoken to: an idle question flung at him, like a bare bone to a dog. If flung by an Englishman, he answered it courteously, and subsided. He had been snubbed too many times not to have learned this lesson. It never entered his head that the introduction might have been brought about by the girl's interest. He was too mortally shy of women to conceive of such a possibility. So his gratitude was extended to the purser, who, on his side, regretted his good-natured recommendations of the previous hour.

When Elsa learned that the man at her side was to proceed to Rangoon, she ceased to ask him any more questions. She preferred to read her books slowly. Once, while he was engaging the purser, her glance ran over his clothes. She instantly berated her impulsive criticism as a bit of downright caddishness. The lapels of the coat were shiny, the sleeves were short, there was a pucker across the shoulders; the winged-collar gave evidence of having gone to the native laundry once too often; the studs in the shirt-bosom were of the cheapest

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mother-of-pearl, and the cuff buttons, ordinary rupee silver. The ensemble suggested that since the purchase of these habiliments of civilization the man had grown, expanded.

Immediately after dinner she retired to her state-room, conscious that her balance needed readjusting. She had heard and read much lore concerning reincarnation, skeptically; yet here, within call of her voice, was Arthur, not the shadow of a substance, but Arthur, shorn of his elegance, his soft lazy voice, his half-dreaming eyes, his charming indolence. Why should this man's path cross hers, out of all the millions that ran parallel?

(To Be Continued)

Gift for a Missionary.

"I am sending this package to a missionary friend of mine who is about to sail for India," said the man who got on at Clifton Avenue. "You couldn't guess in a thousand years what is in it, so I'll tell you. It's insect powder. I couldn't give a present that a missionary would value more highly. We see the ignorance and superstition and vice that the missionaries have to contend with, and these things are had enough, but there are other trials still harder to bear than the gospel workers never visit home." Newark News.

No matter how jolly a fellow is he is pretty sure to stack up against a follier.

PILES Quickly Cured

Instant Relief, Permanent Cure—Trial Package Mailed Free to All in Plain Wrapper

We want every man and woman, suffering from the excruciating torture of piles to just send their name and address to us and get, by return mail, a free trial package of the most effective and positive cure ever known for this disease. Pyramid Pile Remedy.

The way to prove what this great remedy will do in your own case, is to just fill out free coupon and send to use and you will get, by return mail, a free sample of Pyramid Pile Remedy.

Then, after you have proven to yourself what it can do, you will go to the druggist and get a 50 cent box.

Don't undergo an operation. Operations are rarely a success and often lead to terrible consequences. Pyramid Pile Remedy reduces all inflammation, makes congestion, irritation, itching, sores and ulcers disappear—and the piles simply quit.

For sale at all drug stores at 50 cents a box.


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Fill out the blank lines below with your name and address, cut out coupon and mail to the PYRAMID DRUG CO., 406 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. A trial package of the great Pyramid Pile Remedy will then be sent you at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper.

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AND IF YA TELL A FIB, YA WILL GIT HORNS JUST LIKE THAT—OO-OO!




OLD FASHIONED PERSUASION—VERY DELICATE

NO, NO, NO! BABY MUTH NOT HAVE FORK




HONETH AN TRULY, I HAVENT DOT IT

"HORNS JUST LIKE, ETC, ETC."




BLPMMK

GOODNESS! CAN IT BE?




ZOWSKS

WOW!



S'MATTER POP?

AW-W-W, NO! THAT'S WHERE YOU BUMPED IT ON THE DOOR TODAY, DONT YOU REMEMBER?



SMATTER POP?

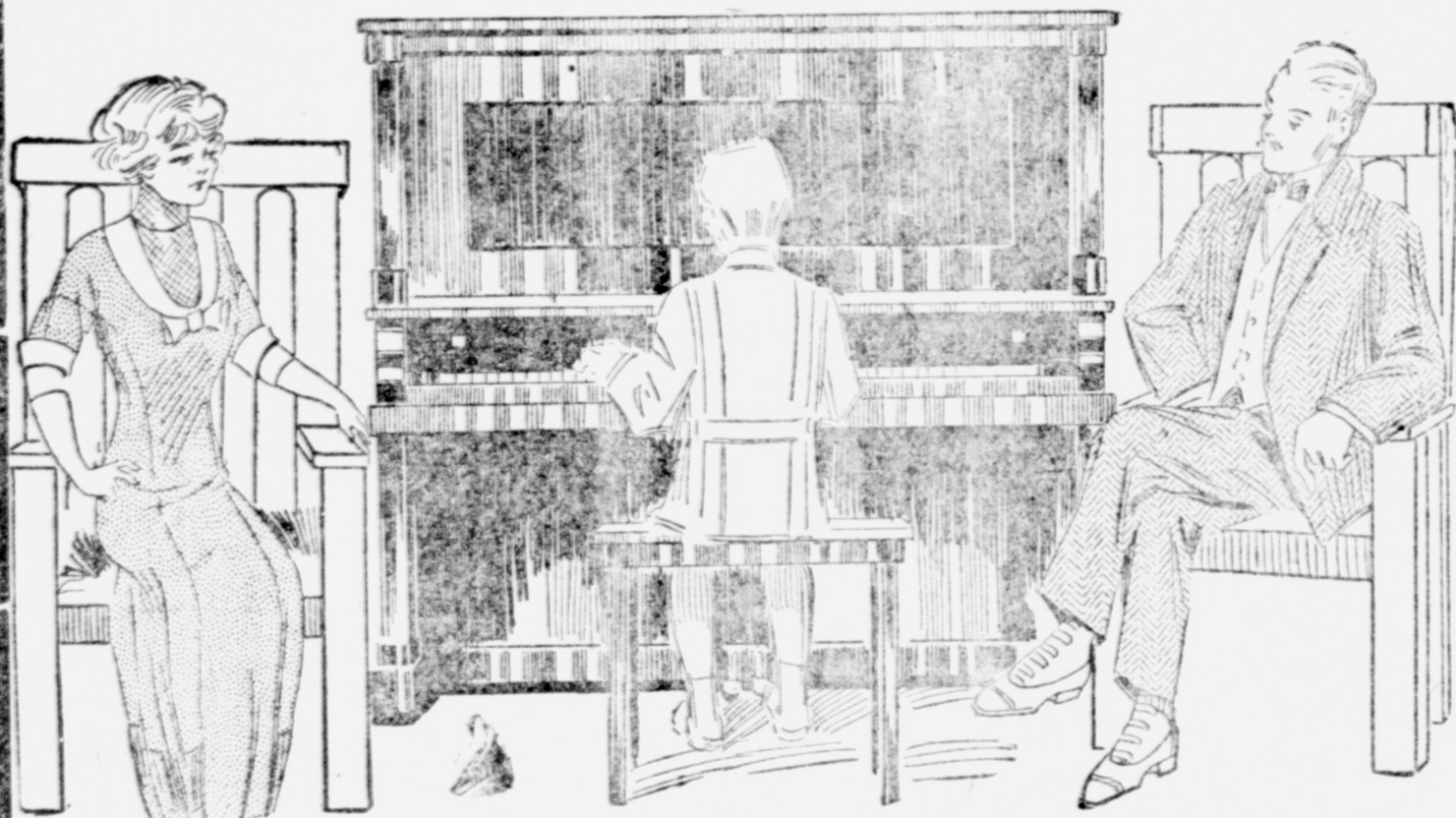
By PAYNE

OUT THEY GO

Used Piano Sale

We've been ordered to CLEAN HOUSE before our new Spring stock arrives.

During our Opening Sale we were compelled to take in several used upright pianos on our Baby Grands and Players, and to clean these out, together with some of our own makes we had to take on mortgage and others called in from renting, we are making special prices that will do the work.



A Real Player Piano Bargain

Worth \$500 Special at **\$295** EASY TERMS: — \$10.00 Down, then \$6.00 a month. 12 Rolls of Music FREE—also Bench.

5 REAL PIANO BARGAINS

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Kimball Piano Good condition	Estey Piano Worth \$300	Vogel & Co. Piano Good condition	Humboldt—New Case, damaged in shipping	Story & Clark Regular \$375 Repossessed, Used one year
\$125	\$165	\$125	\$100	\$200

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WE ARE ALSO MAKING SPECIAL PRICES ON NEW PIANOS

FACTORY SALESROOMS

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La Crosse, Wis.

"CASCARETS" FOR COSTIVE BOWELS

Headache, sour stomach, biliousness and bad taste gone by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a still barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your drug store will keep you feeling good for months. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then to keep their stomach, liver and bowels regulated, and never know a miserable moment. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good gentle cleansing, too.

North Side Briefs

Be sure and see Florence Lawrence today and tomorrow at the Dreamland.

Miss Verna Boyle, 1210 Caledonia street, is confined to her home with the mumps.

Olaf Olson has returned from a trip to Galesville.

O. D. Nelson and sons, Marion and Alfred, have returned to their home in Elroy after a short visit with relatives and friends on the north side.

Carl Giefer returned yesterday from an extended trip in the north-west.

Sam and Christ Bakke have left for Stoughton, Wis., where they were called to the bedside of their uncle, Evan Christianson, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. J. Crowe has returned to her home in Harper's Ferry after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Downs, 226 Mill street.

"Sissy Jane" \$3.50, O'Neil shoe store. Miss Jennie Hanson, 421 Gould street, is the guest of friends and relatives in Minneapolis for a few days.

August Gittens has returned to his home, 214 Rose street, after a few days visit in Viroqua.

Miss Florence Asselin is again able to be out after having been confined to her home at 1303 Caledonia St., with illness.

"Teaching Dad a Lesson," good comedy, Dreamland today and tomorrow.

Carl Bryzowsky has returned to his home, 1547 Charles street, after a few days' visit in Wells, Minn.

Mrs. R. Merwin has returned to her home in Washington after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Merwin, 814 Gillette street.

Arthur Field has returned to his home in St. Paul after spending the past few days with north side relatives and friends.

G. Butzmann who spent the past few days in Alma, has returned to his home at 1728 Loomis street.

Mrs. O. T. Welch has returned to her home in Savanna after a visit at the home of Mrs. J. Welch, 1129 Berlin street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haverick, 1310 Avon street, are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. Fred Haiden, Sr., and Mrs. Herman J. Richter will entertain the Ladies' society of the German Lutheran church at the church parlors, corner Avon and St. Paul streets.

Mrs. G. Wells, 1508 Kane street, was pleasantly surprised by forty young ladies. The surprise was in the form of a parcel shower. A delicious lunch was served.

C. Kitchner, 1507 Loomis street, has returned from a visit in the Twin Cities.

T. Casperson, 1507 Loomis street, has returned from a visit in St. Paul.

F. Smith, 1348 Avon street, is confined to his home with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Alleman, 1344 Avon street is ill at her home.

E. Kuehn, West Salem, is spending a few days visiting on the north side.

STATE EXPENSES TOPIC OF DEBATE

The Franklin club in their weekly meeting tonight will thresh out the subject, "Resolved, that the expenses of the state are unreasonably high." C. L. Alleman, assisted by W. E. Barber and Paul W. Mahoney will attempt to prove the point while Otto M. Schlachet, Dr. A. R. Kemper and Otto Bosshard will defend the state. As at the last meeting, a lunch will be served after the debate.

LESS DYSPEPSIA NOW —HERE'S THE REASON

The fact that there is less dyspepsia and indigestion in this community than there used to be is largely, we believe, due to the extensive use of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, hundreds of packages of which we have sold. No wonder we have faith in them. No wonder we are willing to offer them to you for trial entirely at our risk.

Among other things, they contain Pepsin and Bismuth, two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science. They soothe the inflamed stomach, allay pain, check heartburn and distress, help to digest the food, and tend to quickly restore the stomach to its natural, comfortable, healthy state.

There is no red tape about our guarantee. It means just what it says. We'll ask you no questions. Your word is enough for us. If Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets don't restore your stomach to health and make your digestion easy and comfortable, we want you to come back for your money. They are sold only at the 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. O. T. Erhart, Mastic Bldg., La Crosse, Wis.

NORTH SIDE

C. M. & ST. P. PUTS ON NEW PASSENGER

Traffic so Heavy on the La Crosse Division that Better Facilities Are Imperative

PASSENGER BUSINESS IS HEAVY

Superintendent Macdonald Says Business Is Equal to That of Last Year

Because of the heavy passenger traffic on the La Crosse division, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road will soon put on a new passenger, according to Supt. Macdonald, in La Crosse today.

"The traffic on the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road is so heavy that we are considering putting on another train," said Supt. Macdonald. "This would relieve the through trains, which are so crowded that they have to be run in several sections."

"There has been no particular demand for this train from the people along the line, but no doubt they will welcome an addition to their train facilities, especially since this would be a local train stopping at all stations. We have enough through trains now, this service being very heavy on the double tracked main line which runs to the Pacific coast."

"I am consulting traffic officials on this new train and if it is decided upon it will probably be started in time for the increased traffic of summer."

"Passenger service seems to be heavy, fully up to the traffic of last year at this season."

MARVELS BOWL TIE WITH THE NELSONS

The Listman Marvels and the Nelson Clothing company bowled a double-header at the Voves alleys last night, resulting in a tie of three games each. Eaton of the Marvels was high man with a score of 214. Spoonick of the Nelsons pressed him closely with 204. Following are the results:

Nelson Clothing Company—Spoonick ..204 157 188 165 177 166 Wiskerchen 182 137 138 173 154 191 Poehling ..125 141 157 122 174 145 Paulson ..174 168 179 136 145 170 R. Roth ..139 143 126 168 138 172

Totals ..825 746 798 764 797 844

Listman Marvels—

Gullickson ..162 167 172 117 174 145 Wittenburg 139 164 136 143 146 179 Bollrud ..168 149 187 177 139 137 Grady ..171 154 123 136 140 147 Eaton ..214 132 174 202 187 190

Totals ..845 766 792 795 786 798

MANY PRESENT AT BREUER FUNERAL

The funeral services of Mrs. Joseph Breuer, who died Monday at the St. Francis hospital, was held this morning at the St. James church, Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating. A beautiful floral tribute was received from employees of the Milwaukee road, on which Mr. Breuer is an engineer. The services were attended by many sorrowing friends and relatives, many of whom were present at the last rites at the grave in the Catholic cemetery.

A Hard Job.

"Didn't you say six months ago that if Miss Tinkins wouldn't marry you you would throw yourself into the deepest part of the sea? Now, Miss Tinkins married me one else three months ago and yet you haven't."

"Oh, it's easy to talk, but let me tell you it is not such an easy matter to find the deepest part of the sea."

Take Soda for Acid Stomach or Indigestion—Try It

Indigestion, says a noted authority is not caused by a lack of digestive juices, but by an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which promotes food fermentation thus retarding digestion. Then our meals sour in the stomach and bowels like fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon, then we get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest; we eructate food, belch gas and have heartburn flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us that to instantly neutralize these stomach acids and stop food fermentation we must get a package of 10 grain Sodagen tablets at any pharmacy and take one tablet anytime followed by a tumbler of water which immediately settles the stomach; absorbs the gases and sweetens the entire digestive system.

He states that men and women who can trace their disordered stomachs and indigestion to acidity should not hesitate to take this harmless antacid at any time, as it is simply a compound of Soda, Magnesia and Calcium Carbonate U. S. P.

CHECKERS

The Casino The Casino

Five Big Reels

WITH

THOS. W. ROSS

LAST TIMES TODAY

WANTS MOTT AS A LAWFUL HUSBAND



Mrs. Frances Hewitt Bowne.

Mrs. Frances Hewitt Bowne, who eloped to the Orient with Jordan L. Mott, 3d, of New York, in 1912, writes from Tokio that Mott is coming back to America to get a divorce if possible in order that he may become her lawful husband. Mott has a wife and child in New York, whom he deserted. His father, a millionaire iron man, disinherited him when he would not return to his family.

FIX RUSH SEASON AT THE UNIVERSITY

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—A period of two weeks, commencing Saturday, May 2, and ending Sunday, May 17, has been decided upon as the official fraternity "rushing season" at the university this year. Invitations to freshmen to the various Greek letter houses will be issued through the office of the chairman of the student interest committee, and the freshmen will be required to mail their acceptances or regrets to the fraternities directly. No fraternity may secure more than three "dates" with any freshman during the first week of rushing.

Until May, no freshman may be seen in the company of a fraternity member at the theater, at any athletic event, dance or any other form of entertainment. No freshman is permitted to enter a fraternity house. Invitations to dinner can not be extended from fraternity men to freshmen nor can the freshmen invite fraternity members to dinner with them.

The Office and the Man.

"The office should seek the man, you know."

"That's all right," replied the avowed aspirant, "but I gave it a fair chance, and it seemed diffident."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Work Differently.

Adversity brings out the grit and prosperity the conceit in a man.—New York American.

EATING RELIEVES STOMACH TROUBLE

A Prominent Physician's Advice

"Eat good foods and plenty of them. Dieting, in many cases, is almost criminal. Get back to normal. To do so you must have the proper quantity of nourishment. You need it for brain or physical work. Probably there is nothing the matter with your stomach except acidity. That is merely an abnormal secretion of acid in the stomach. Neutralize that acid and your stomach trouble will end at once. Neglect may mean ulcers if not cancer of the stomach. Do not take patented medicines or pepsin tablets for dyspepsia. Simply take a neutralizer of acid. Decidedly the best neutralizer is ordinary druggist's bisulphated magnesia. You can get it at any drug store for a few cents. Take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water after each meal. The relief will be immediate."

Casualties Expected.

During one of Cannon's bitter political fights in his district in Illinois the opposition resorted to desperate tactics. Among other things friends of Uncle Joe were summarily dismissed from positions they held in the public service. Some of his friends became alarmed at this, and one of them called on the speaker at his residence and said, somewhat excitedly:

"Joe, Smith and Jones have just lost their positions in the postoffice. What are we going to do about it?"

Uncle Joe took another puff at his cigar and then answered, with a benevolent smile: "Nothing. If you go into battle, you have got to expect to have some dead and wounded."

THE PLODDER.

It is the man who carefully pings his way up step by step, with his mind becoming wider and wider, and progressively better able to grasp any theme or situation, persevering in what he knows to be practical and concentrating his thought upon it, who is bound to succeed in the greatest degree.—Alexander Graham Bell.

"CHECKERS"
The greatest human interest play ever produced. Presented by Augustus Thomas in Five Big Reels.
FRIDAY ONLY
Matinee 2:30, 5c and 10c; Night prices 10c to all.
THE DOME

IN ONE DAY BAD BREATH

And a Sallow, Blotched Complexion Disappear

Bad breath and a sallow, blotched complexion, due to impaired digestion, disappear in one day if Dr. Flood's Scientific Stomach Remedy is taken, as it expels the hardened bile and poisonous waste matter from the stomach and intestines. It sweetens the breath and clears the complexion in one day. This new treatment removes the cause of stomach trouble while dyspepsia tablets only treat the symptoms and never will cure you. One dose of Dr. Flood's Scientific Stomach Remedy and the bloating and all distress is gone and you can eat while you like.

Waste no more time treating symptoms of stomach trouble, but take Dr. Flood's Scientific Stomach Remedy and remove the cause. Your money back if it does not do what we claim. Sold and recommended by Hoerschler Bros. and other druggists.

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OUR SERVICE WILL HELP YOU
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EKERN STARTS PROBE
MADISON, Wis., March 5.—Insurance Commissioner L. Ekern today began an investigation of the fire insurance situation in the towns and villages of the state to ascertain the uniformity of rates as a whole and on the classes of property separately. He has sent a letter to all the fire insurance agents and companies lacking for detailed information.

Misnamed.
Why are streams called "she?" we rise to inquire. Don't they sometimes dry up?—Columbia State

WOMAN COULD HARDLY STAND

Because of Terrible Backache. Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I suffered from displacement and inflammation, and had such pains in my sides, and terrible backache so that I could hardly stand. I took six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now I can do any amount of work, sleep good, eat good, and don't have a bit of trouble. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman."—Mrs. HARRY FISHER, 1642 Juniata Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Another Woman's Case.
Providence, R.I.—"I cannot speak too highly of your Vegetable Compound as it has done wonders for me and I would not be without it. I had a displacement, bearing down, and backache, until I could hardly stand and was thoroughly run down when I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helped me and I am in the best of health at present. I work in a factory all day long besides doing my housework so you can see what it has done for me. I give you permission to publish my name and I speak of your Vegetable Compound to many of my friends."—Mrs. ABRIEL LAWSON, 126 Lippitt St., Providence, R.I.

Danger Signals to Women
are what one physician called backache, headache, nervousness, and the blues. In many cases they are symptoms of some female derangement or an inflammatory, ulcerative condition, which may be overcome by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands of American women willingly testify to its virtue.

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Vacuum Cleaners
\$7.50
Sold by
S. Gantert
Furniture & Rug House

TAILORED COSTUME



This new tailored costume by Bernard of Paris is a model of Pekin raitie cut straight in front and draped in back.

NET TIGHTENS ON MAN

"SKYSCRAPER BURGLAR" WHO IS WANTED FOR BIG BOND ROBBERY DAMNED BY POSSESSION OF CIGARET CASE

CHICAGO, March 5.—Edward J. McGuire, secretary of the andusky Portland Cement company of Cleveland, Ohio, positively identified a cigarette case found in the possession of Melville A. Reeves, dapper "skyscraper burglar," as the one stolen from his desk on February 16, when \$15,000 worth of bonds and other valuable property, said to have been worth nearly \$100,000, was stolen. McGuire arrived here on receipt of word that Reeves and his pretty young wife had been arrested by private detectives while trying to sell \$5,000 of the stolen bonds. He said that every effort would be made to have the pair extradited, though both Reeves and wife are under indictment here for more than a score of robberies in downtown office buildings.

"Won't you eat some more ice cream, dear?" "I'm afraid I can't, but I don't mind tryin'."—Life

PERSONALS

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Griffith of Chicago, a girl.
E. F. U. card party Friday night, K. P. hall.
William McGill, Viroqua, called at a local hospital yesterday, where his mother is confined.
Merchant's dinner daily at the Jefferson hotel from 11:30 to 2.25c.
C. P. Johnson, Minneapolis, transacted business in the city yesterday.
Jack Halvorson, Clermont, Iowa, called in the city yesterday on business.

Thomas Coughlin, Minneapolis, was a business caller in the city yesterday.
For sale, seven passenger Rambler automobile in good condition, if taken at once for \$600, 100-102 So. Front street.
Peter Barber, Aurora, Ill., transacted business in the city yesterday.
E. Churness, Ferryville, visited with friends and relatives in the city. Back calls day and night, Gateway City Transfer Co., Phone 179.

C. J. Olson, Minneapolis, transacted business in the city yesterday.
G. K. Osgard, Caledonia, Minn., spent a few hours in the city, returning this morning.
John Moore, West Prairie, called in the city yesterday.
Mrs. J. Quam and daughter Julia, Yellow Grass, Sask., passed through the city yesterday.

Mrs. Nina Rindlaub, chiropodist, formerly over Barron's store, office at 129 North 9th. New phone 847-A.
Christine Grove, Zumbrota, Minn., was the guest of friends and relatives in the city yesterday.
P. S. Curtis, Viroqua, spent a few hours in the city yesterday, returning to his home in the afternoon.

Tonight you'll want to hear Gaylord at First Baptist church, Sixth street, between Main and King. Singing admission 25 cents.
John Devlin, Viroqua, transacted business in the city yesterday.
E. J. Dekker, Chicago, was a business caller in the city yesterday.
Mrs. A. S. Busse, Viroqua, spent yesterday with friends in the city.
B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday.
P. J. Maloney, Chicago, transacted business in the city yesterday.
Dance, Linker hall, Saturday.
F. McGuckin, Kenosha, Wis., was a business caller in the city yesterday.

T. S. Herrmann, Chicago, transacted business in the city yesterday.

MARKET SQUARE

A. Linse, Mormon Coulee road, sold a load of corn in the city yesterday.
Jim Farrell, Pine Creek, came in yesterday with a load of hay.
J. M. Willey, Holmen, transacted business in the city yesterday.
H. Koethe, Brownsville road, delivered a load of hay yesterday.
F. Hoag, French Island, came in yesterday with a load of hay.
G. Olson, Holmen, sold a load of hogs at a local market yesterday.

D. Heppel, Brownsville, sold a load of potatoes in town yesterday.
W. A. Sikorski transacted business in the city yesterday.
J. Colleran, Brownsville, delivered a load of hay yesterday.
T. Feltmeier, North Hokah road, brought in a load of hay yesterday.

Jim Gillespie, Pine Creek, sold two loads of hay yesterday.
H. Seidel, Chippmunk Ridge, sold a load of potatoes in the city yesterday.
William Blankley, North Salem road, sold a load of beef in the city yesterday.

John Kindhammer, Mormon Coulee, sold a load of hogs in the city yesterday.

REFUSES WARRANTS

CHICAGO, March 5.—Finding the wheels of justice in the city courts considerably clogged with cases against union waitresses, Judge Ryan today refused to issue any more conspiracy warrants for the arrest of girl picketers until some of the pending cases have been disposed of.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We eat too much meat which clogs Kidneys, then the Back Hurts

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

COME ON

I want to give you a chance to try the best and safest remedy at my risk. I mean the Gray's Yeast-San-Cough Cure. The way I'll do it is this—you buy a 50c or \$1.00 bottle of it, use one-half, and if you ain't satisfied that it's the most remarkable cure for the cough you've ever seen, bring back the other half bottle, and I'll give you back your full money with the greatest pleasure.

CHAS. BEYSCHLAG, Druggist 513 Main street.

MORE PROOF OFFERED

The Only Good Argument Is One Founded on Truth and Proof.

Here is a small list of students sent to positions just the past few days; the first six were sent this week. Some of them were in school only four months. They could not earn more than twenty dollars per month in an office when they came to us. These positions pay from \$40 to \$75 per month the very first month. Do you know that we have teachers and principals of high schools attending the W. B. U., also university graduates, also dozens of high school students and graduates? Many of these graduated from other business schools, or normal schools, or high school business departments. WHY do they come to the "W. B. U."? Because they have learned that the W. B. U. is the only school that really prepares its students to go right from the school room to a GOOD position. We do not have to accept cheap positions, and what is more, we do not. It is just as easy for us to secure from \$50 to \$75 the first month for our graduates as it is for incompetents to get four or five dollars. That is the difference. Does it mean anything to you? It certainly should. Here is another list of students just sent to positions—six the first of this week. Proof, always proof:

Richard Zimmer, Inte-State Oil Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Mildred Mourning, Otto Schlach, La Crosse, Wis.
Ernst Roesler, La Crosse Plumbing & Supply Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Lyla Curtis, Livingston Bros., Viroqua, Wis.
Dorothy Bailey, Gund Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Vera Duxbury, State Bank of Spring Green, Spring Green, Wis.
John E. Benesh, Thomas & Phalon, La Crosse, Wis.
Elvina Olson, Institution for Feeble Minded, Grafton, N. Dak.
Zilpha Bensend, Stout Institute, Menomonie, Wis.
Waldemar Rhode, La Crosse County Bank, West Salem, Wis.

Now is the time to enter. We can prepare you for a first class position by August 1st. Send for catalogue. It is free. Do it now. New term begins March 10th. Wisconsin Business University.

SPOTLIGHTS

"THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS"
In "The Road to Happiness," which comes to the La Crosse Theatre Monday, March 9, for one night only, after the record run of the season, twenty-two weeks in Chicago, Miss Reeve Greenwood, who plays Eva Hardcastle, displays unique ideas of romance by becoming infatuated with Mr. Hodge's quizzical yokel, Jim Whitman. Miss Greenwood boasts Shakespearean experience. She once played a page in "The Taming of the Shrew" with Sothorn and Marlowe, and again a page in "Romeo and Juliet." This service equipped her for her first real adventure, the betrayed heroine in "Way Down East."

"NIGHT ON BROADWAY"
Theatergoers who like good musical farce, containing clever comedy, pretty girls, gorgeous costumes, a gingery chorus, jingling musicians, marvelous electrical effects should not fail to see Halton Powell's production of "Night on Broadway," which comes to the Majestic for three days starting this afternoon. "Night on Broadway" must be judged on its own standard for it is really the only farce which could be presented without musical or chorus embellishment and give entire satisfaction, for it is certainly a care-killer and laugh bringer. Harry Emerson, well known as the star in "Gay New York" is the chief of the comedy forces. He is acknowledged leader of all German dialect comedians. The principals include such well known names as Grace Celeste, Cecilia Bell, Lillian Traverser, Viah Walters, Ed Brennan, Ralph Smith, Lloyd Seddrick and Charles Cornell. The cutely cut chorus is conceded by all the best of Broadway. The costumes the most elaborate, electric effects supreme, and scenic equipment most complete.

Had a Proxy.
"I want some cloth to make my dolly a dress," said a little girl of seven as she entered a store the other day. "How much is it?" she asked when the merchant handed her the package. "Just one kiss," was the reply. "All right," she said. "Grandma said she would pay you when she came tomorrow."—New York Globe.

A Get-rich-quick Plan.
"Is there any money in a perpetual motion machine?" asked the inventor. "I guess there is," said the man with the red tie. "I have a little machine in my store that would bring me a million if I could keep it in perpetual motion." "What is it?" asked the other. "A cash register."—Ladies' Home Journal.

SOCIETY

MRS. HOLY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. James Holy celebrated her birthday anniversary yesterday at her home at Twenty-second and Market street. About forty guests were present, twelve of whom were friends from Minneapolis and St. Paul. Supper was served by the hostess, after which several piano selections were rendered by Miss Dalgren, Miss Newton and little Miss Holy. A social time was enjoyed until 11:30, when the guests returned to their homes.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Miss Nellie Hebbert left today for Madison, where she will enter the university and take a special course. Mrs. W. T. Irvine entertained a card club yesterday, instead of Mrs. George Irvine, as was reported yesterday.

TOMAH, WIS.

The benefit game of basketball which was played by various teams in the high school proved a great success. The proceeds amounted to over thirty-five dollars. The results of the games are very interesting. In the first game the juniors and sophomores played for the class championship. The sophomores who were thought to have an unbeatable team in school lost by a score of 12 to 11, thus giving the class championship to the juniors. In the second game the faculty and seniors played. The faculty team which was composed of several former stars of the game were defeated by the seniors by a score of 18 to 6. In the last game the fun came. The professional men and business men of the city, formed two teams and clashed on the floor. The professionals were easy victors by a score of 11 to 4. The funds which were taken in will be used to help support the baseball team in the high school during the coming season.

A great interest is taken in the coming play, "The Sacrifice," which will be acted by local talent and will be staged under the auspices of the Woman's Civic Improvement club. The date is Friday, March 6. Mr. R. B. Hutchinson of Grand Rapids, Michigan, has been obtained to direct the work of the play. Those who will take part in the play are as follows: Miss Alice Snodgrass, Miss Hazel Weiss, Mrs. L. J. Roberts, Miss Hazel Maxwell, Louis Barnes, Frank Drew, William Collins, James Finucan, Alfred Boners, Gus Velten, Clyde Ziebell, Russell Wells and Clyde Strachan. The above named are well known in the city and it is certain that the play will be a decided success.

The ladies of the Congregational church are going to have a coffee at the home of Mrs. W. W. Warren on Thursday. A sale is going to be held in connection.

It is evident by the number of cars which are daily leaving up the Valley road that are loaded with household goods, stock, etc., that the country between here and Babcock is opening up. Up to the present time very many cars go up the road each day, three cars being the average for the past few days. Each year it is notable that the people go up to Mather and vicinity, most of the families come from Iowa, Indiana and Illinois.

Davey Jones, the professional baseball player, who formerly resided here, and was formerly a member of the Detroit Tigers and Chicago White Sox, has attached his signature to a Federal league contract and will play with the Pittsburgh team.

Preparations are being made for a parents' day in the local public schools on March 27. On this date parents of pupils of the schools are invited especially to visit the schools on this date. Special exhibits of work will be on exhibition of each grade and also in the manual training and domestic science departments.

The family of Mr. W. E. Barnhardt have moved to Milwaukee, as their household goods being shipped in the early part of the week and they left on Wednesday. The Rambler automobile was sold to Mr. Otto.

Mrs. G. Squire of Trempealeau was a recent visitor with relatives here.

E. L. Benson of Portage was a business caller here Wednesday.

W. Card was a recent caller in Sparta.

Money Saved by Making Your Cough Syrup at Home

Takes But a Few Moments, and Stops a Cough in a Hurry.

Cough medicines, as a rule, contain a large quantity of plain syrup. If you take one pint of granulated sugar, add 1/2 pint of warm water and stir about 2 minutes, you have as good syrup as money could buy.
If you will then put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and fill it up with the Sugar Syrup, you will have as much cough syrup as you could buy ready made for \$2.50. Take a teaspoonful every one or two or three hours. It keeps perfectly. You will find it one of the best cough cures you ever used—even in whooping cough. You can feel it take hold—usually conquers an ordinary cough in 1 hour. It is just laxative enough as a good tonic effect, and the taste is pleasant.
It is a splendid remedy, too, for whooping cough, spasmodic croup, croupiness and bronchial asthma.
Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, rich in quinine and other healing elements. No other preparation will work in this formula.
This plan for making cough remedy with Pinex and Sugar Syrup is now used in more homes than any other cough remedy. The plan has often been imitated but never successfully.
A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

If you get in a "tight place" and need one sack or one carload of Portland Cement, don't waste time and money telegraphing to find out who can accommodate you. Order

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Our system of delivery service makes you secure in an emergency. This company tries to hold the record for prompt service and few disputes.

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is not freakishness. There was a time when this was so, but now common sense rules shoe fashion. We are well equipped to supply your demands in shoe style.

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320 Pearl Street

MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN FRANCE



Mme. Leone Georges Reboux.

The picture shows Mme. Leone Georges Reboux, called the most beautiful woman in France, who is now in this country with her husband, M. Paul Reboux, literary editor of the Paris Journal.

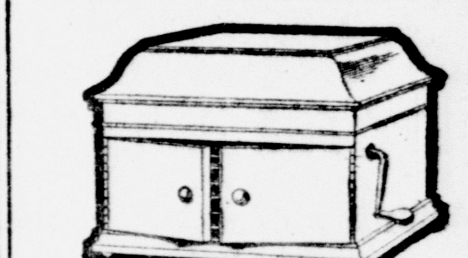
RECOGNIZE HAYTI REBELS

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Formal recognition of the new government in Hayti by a visit of state from Captain Russell of the South Carolina and Capt. Bostwick, of the Nashville, was announced at the navy department. All American vessels left Haytian waters yesterday.

IN PROBATE.

In County Court for La Crosse County, Wisconsin.
Notice is hereby given, that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the County Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the third Tuesday, being the 17th day of March, 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Agnes Kienzie, administratrix of the estate of Josephine Kienzie, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased, to sell all of the real estate belonging to said estate, described as follows:
"Lot number Four (4) of Block number Three (3) of Burns' addition to the City of La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin," for the purpose of paying the debts and costs of administration.
Dated this 18th day of February, A. D. 1914.
By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
C. L. BALDWIN,
Attorney for the Administratrix.



THE VICTROLA

is a resourceful entertainer, an invaluable ally that never fails the hostess. And even when there is no company, the VICTROLA turns a dull and tedious day to one of pleasure.

Come in and get acquainted with the Victrola and its delightful music. \$15.00 to \$200.00.

Fred Leithold Piano Co.

325 Main Street
HOME OF THE VICTOR

Prof. Falls' Dance at Linker Hall Every Sat. Night

SAVES CHILD FROM FIRE
BANGOR, Wis., March 5.—Awakened this morning by flames and smoke in her room, Mrs. D. A. Taylor had just time to seize her baby and escape from the room, clad in her nightdress, to a neighbor's home. The house was partially burned.

An Unconscious Toast.

Lord Clyde one day after dinner asked a chaplain to one of the regiments in India for a toast, who, after considering some time, at length exclaimed with great simplicity: "Alas and alack a day! What can I give?" "Nothing better," replied his lordship. "Come, gentlemen; we'll give a bumper to the parson's toast, 'A lass and a lac a day!'"

A lac means 100,000 rupees, or \$25,000, which is certainly an income to make one happy.—London Chronicle.

"Procrastination is the thief of time," quoted the wise guy. "Except with the fellow who takes time by the forelock," added the simple mug.

IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

What a Heap of Happiness it Would Bring to La Crosse Homes

Hard to do housework with an aching back.

Brings you hours of misery at leisure or at work.

If women only knew the cause—that

Backache pains often come from weak kidneys.

'Twould save much needless woe. Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

Read what a La Crosse citizen says:

Mrs. G. A. Phelps, 1402 Jackson street, La Crosse, Wis., says: "I suffered for a long time from rheumatic pains, with sharp cricks in my back. I had pains in my sides and hips and it was almost impossible for me to do my work. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and got relief from all the trouble. I felt much stronger and better in every way. I am certainly glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

OLD FASHIONED FAMILY REMEDY FOR COLDS AND BODY BUILDING



Father John's Medicine Treats Colds and Builds Up the Body Without Use of Alcohol or Dangerous Drugs.—A Doctor's Prescription, 50 Years in Use.

Absolute Truth of This Story Attested by Guarantee to Give \$25,000.00 to any Charitable Institution if Shown Otherwise.

Father John's Medicine is a doctor's prescription. Prescribed for the late Rev. Father John O'Brien, of Lowell, Mass., by his physician. Father John recommended this medicine to his parishioners and friends and it became known as Father John's Medicine. This story is true and is attested by the fact that Father John's Medicine has cured thousands of colds, coughs, and other ailments.

Try Father John's Medicine—it does all that is claimed.

TENTATIVE DATE SET FOR BANQUET

Community Feast for the Farmers Probably Will Be Held on March 24th

The community banquet in all probability will be held at the Germania hall on Tuesday, March 24. A meeting of the general committee will be held at the Elks hall tonight when the date of the banquet will be definitely decided.

The list of business men who will act as hosts at the community banquet has swelled to 39, which means that at least 399 farmers of the surrounding country will be present at the affair as the guests of the La Crosse business men.

At tonight's meeting of the committee, the list of invitations will be made out, and several other minor matters such as the menu, serving of the banquet and music will be disposed of. No program will be adopted, the banquet being of an informal nature.

SAYS HUNGER DROVE HIM TO ASK ALMS

Declaring that he had never begged anything but a "chew of tobacco" before, John Sullivan admitted in court today that he had finally been driven to that state of desperation by hunger. Sullivan, who has a crippled arm was arrested by the police yesterday while begging money. Judge Brindley imposed a sentence of thirty days.

FATHER CONDON TO LECTURE TONIGHT

Tonight there will be a lecture on "The Confessional" by Rev. Dr. Robert Condon, of St. Mary's church, at the New hall, Onalaska.

WILL LIVE TO COLLECT POLICY

Edward Heslip, the knight of the road who was removed to St. Francis hospital from the county jail, suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis, a few days ago, will in all probability live to reap the harvest of his endowment insurance policy for \$2,000.

Although his life was in danger for a short time, the attending physician last night declared that the crisis had passed and Heslip will be returned to the county jail today to serve the balance of his 30 day sentence.

Heslip claims that he has a \$2,000 endowment insurance policy which expires April first and that he will receive that amount next month. He was sent to the county jail because he could not pay a \$10 fine when convicted of vagrancy. After he became sick Heslip lay in the county jail for five days without eating food of any kind and at last was moved to St. Francis hospital. Under the care of County Physician Dr. R. E. Flynn he soon started on the road to recovery.

Out of Sorts

THAT IS, something is wrong with baby, but we can't tell just what it is. All mothers recognize the term by the lassitude, weakness, loss of appetite, inclination to sleep heavy breathing, and lack of interest shown by baby. These are the symptoms of sickness. It may be fever, congestion, worms, croup, diphtheria, or scarlatina. Do not lose a minute. Give the child Castoria. It will start the digestive organs into operation, open the pores of the skin, carry off the foetid matter, and drive away the threatened sickness.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Dr. H. H. Fletcher*

CONFESSION SAVES MAN IN JAIL HERE

Unable to Remember What Occurred While He Was Drunk in Mill City He Has Narrow Escape

RIGHT MAN CONFESSES TO DEED

Detective from Minneapolis Entering Local Station to Take Him Back Receives Word of Arrest

Just as Detective Daniel Regan of Minneapolis entered the La Crosse police station this morning to take William Griffin to Minneapolis to answer a charge of murderous assault upon Mrs. C. E. McKee there, a messenger boy brought in a message to the effect that the real assailant had been identified by Mrs. McKee and had confessed.

Couldn't Deny Crime
Griffin's case is one of the best examples of how injustice is sometimes worked through circumstantial evidence. He answered in every detail the description of the assailant given the Minneapolis police by Mrs. McKee, even to the most minute details. He admitted that he was in Minneapolis the day of the crime and was so drunk he didn't know what he was doing. He had bloodstains on his shirt and on the sleeve of his coat.

Mrs. C. E. McKee, according to word received here today, positively identified Louis Johnson as the man who attacked her. Johnson was married Friday and he is said to have told the police he attacked the woman and boy and robbed the store that he might secure money with which to take his bride to their new home on farm near Russell, Minn., where he was arrested last night.

I. W. W. RAID A CHURCH

LEADER AND 190 FOLLOWERS ARE ARRESTED IN NEW YORK AFTER ATTEMPTING TO BREAK UP SERVICES

NEW YORK, March 5.—Defiant and declaring "real work" is ahead for the police, Frank Tannenbaum and his 190 I. W. W. followers who were arrested last night in the Catholic church of St. Alphonsus on West Broadway after attempting to "raid" the edifice while special Lenten services were in progress, were confined in jail cells today awaiting formal arraignment.

Tannenbaum, charged with inciting to riot, and held in \$5,000 bail, declared the I. W. W. was just beginning its real fight here. Noonday factory meetings will be held, he declared and 500 organizers will be sent among the workers.

The police declare that Alexander Berkman, anarchist associate of Emma Goldman, was in the crowd which invaded St. Alphonsus church last night while scores of worshippers were in prayer. When trouble first appeared imminent many in the throng fled from the church and the police declare Berkman escaped then. The police are said to have information that as a part of a big I. W. W. campaign here the arrest of the church raiders was anticipated by the leaders.

Moving Picture Films.
The average life of a film is eight months. If the stock (celluloid) on which it is printed is poor or an incompetent operator mishandles it during projection it may be utterly worthless after four months owing to scratches and bad joins. With careful attention it may be in constant use for twelve months.—London Globe.

Which Is Some Distance.
"You are a relation to the Richleighs, aren't you?"
"Yes, a distant relation."
"How distant?"
"Well, as distant as they can keep me."—Boston Transcript.

The Distinguishing Mark.
"My wife has a twin sister who looks so much like her that you would not be able to tell them apart."
"I suppose it has become easy for you to do so?"
"Yes, but it wouldn't be if my wife showed the same respect for me that her sister does."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Her Class.
"What sort of woman is this Mrs. Mundane you are talking about?"
"Well, she's one of those women that would sooner have a clear complexion than a clear conscience."—Boston Transcript.

Sherlock Holmes.
"Drowned! Evidently the poor fellow couldn't swim."—Rife.

SEPARATE SIAMESE TWINS

PARIS, March 5.—The French Siamese twins, "Madelaine and Susane" whose family name has not been made public, at the request of the parents, were successfully separated this afternoon by Dr. F. J. Filippi. The operation was performed in the presence of many noted physicians. The little girls, about three months old, were connected by their abdomens, face to face.

Hurry

You'll have to hurry to get a seat tonight. Time the crowd we showed to last night tell their friends of the fine 4 reel show, no doubt our house will be filled early tonight. 5 cents.

Big Sensational Feature Saturday and Sunday. See posters.

STAR Theatre

LADY COPS WATCH GIRLS ON STRIKE



Mrs. Mary Boyd (top) and Mrs. Anna Loucks.

Mrs. Mary Boyd and Mrs. Anna Loucks, Chicago policemen, have been assigned to do duty in front of Henri's restaurant on Randolph street, against which the Waitresses' union is picketing, in an attempt to unionize thirty-five restaurants in the loop district in Chicago.

JACOB RHIS ILL

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—Jacob Rhis suffered a relapse of heart trouble here today and other complications have made his condition critical. He has abandoned his lecture tour and had intended leaving today for Battle Creek.

HOW YOU MAY THROW AWAY YOUR GLASSES

The statement is made that thousands wear eyeglasses who do not really need them. If you are one of these unfortunates, then these glasses may be ruining your eyes instead of helping them. Thousands who wear these "windows" may prove for themselves that they can dispense with glasses if they will get the following prescription filled at once: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Optona; fill a two ounce bottle with warm water and drop in one Optona tablet. With this harmless liquid solution bathe the eyes two to four times daily, and you are likely to be astonished at the results right from the start. Many who have been told that they have astigmatism, eye-strain, cataract, sore eyelids, weak eyes, conjunctivitis and other eye disorders, report wonderful benefits from the use of this prescription. Get this prescription filled and use it; you may so strengthen your eyes that glasses will not be necessary. Thousands who are blind, or nearly so, or who wear glasses would never have required them if they had cared for their eyes in time. Save your eyes before it is too late! Do not become one of these victims of neglect. Eyeglasses are only like crutches and every few years they must be changed to fit the ever-increasing weakened condition, so better see if you can, like many others, get clear, healthy, strong magnetic eyes through the prescription here given.

Francisco-German Ring
CURES BRUCELLOSIS, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, AND KINDRED DISEASES.
Money Refunded if it fails.
FOR SALE AND GUARANTEED BY
GEO. B. ROSE, The Jeweler,
310 MAIN STREET

ADMIT THEY BROKE QUARANTINE RULES

Mr. and Mrs. William Wagner Plead Guilty and Man Is Fined \$5 and Costs

A penalty of \$5 and costs was this morning imposed on William Wagner, 1029 South Second street, for breaking smallpox quarantine. Sentence of his wife was suspended by County Judge John Brindley, before whom they pleaded guilty to the charge.

After being sentenced, Wagner declared that he was unable to raise the necessary funds and Judge Brindley sentenced him to fifteen days in the county jail, sentence to be held in abeyance for five days to give him an opportunity to raise the money.

On Complaint of Furstman
Mr. and Mrs. Wagner were served with warrants a week ago while still under quarantine, complaint being made by Dr. J. M. Furstman, city health commissioner, who alleged that Mrs. Wagner had done work by the day in homes of persons ignorant of the quarantine. Wagner had been permitted to leave the home at the time the house was quarantined, arrangements being made to disinfect his clothing. This was done upon his request to be permitted to continue at his work.

Wagner admitted in court today that he had later returned to his home and had disregarded the quarantine.

Warned About Children
Before disposing of the case Judge Brindley spoke of several complaints that had been entered against the Wagner family because of the non-attendance of the children at school. Truant Officer S. Burdick declared that the children are a continual source of trouble to him, when called to testify. The mother and father were finally warned that unless better care is taken of the children the authorities will be forced to make provisions for removal.

SCOUT MASS MEETING

BOYS WILL BE ENROLLED AND ORGANIZED AT BIG GATHERING AT THE Y. M. C. A. SATURDAY

A self-appointed council consisting of Judge John Brindley, E. S. Hebbard, W. C. Greenwalt, Dr. J. W. Hedderich, Dr. Jens Roholt, Amer H. Anderson, John Holby, Jr., Otto Schlachbach, O. W. Muenster, F. H. Leahy, O. W. Zeratsky and C. C. Rowlinson will conduct the Boy Scout movement in La Crosse. A mass meeting of the scouts will be held Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A., at which organization of the boys will be effected and scouts enrolled.

The rifle and drum corps will be organized soon and it is expected that the corps will be sufficiently organized to participate in the exercises Memorial day.

It is desired by the council to make the movement city wide. All boys between the ages of 12 and 18 are invited to come in.

SECOND G. A. R. POST JOINS THE U. S. W. V.

Following the action of Wilson-Colwell post, John Flynn post No. 77, G. A. R., has accepted the invitation of Casberg camp No. 11, United Spanish War Veterans, to become honorary members of the camp. The proposal was made before the Flynn post at a meeting Tuesday afternoon by D. J. McCauley and Commander Henning of the camp. Within a few days a meeting of the camp will be held at which plans for the formal reception of the members of the G. A. R. will be made.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Casberg camp at a meeting in the soldiers' room in the court house decided to entertain shortly in honor of the Woman's Relief Corps No. 3, auxiliary of Wilson-Colwell post, and the Woman's Relief Corps No. 25, of John Flynn post.

IMPLEMENT MEN ELECT OFFICERS

Officers of the La Crosse District Implement Dealers' association were elected as follows at the annual banquet held at the La Crosse hotel last night:

George Mannel, Sparta, president; Carl McKeeth, Galesville, vice president; and H. C. Hart, La Crosse, secretary and treasurer.

The leading speakers of the convention and banquet held in this city yesterday were T. R. Seibenthal of Eau Claire, C. W. Lewis of the La Crosse Plow company and J. A. Craig of Janesville.

AVAILANCE BURIES SKI TROOP
VIENNA, March 5.—Seventeen Austria-Hungarian ski soldiers were killed today by an avalanche while maneuvering on Ortler Spitz, the highest mountain of the Tyrolean Alps. While a company got through a ski drill on the mountain a huge fall of earth, snow and rock fell on the detachment burying them under tons of earth.

RIOTING IN RIO

BUENOS AYRES, March 5.—Serious rioting occurred today in Rio Janeiro and according to meagre dispatches received here, the Brazilian capital is in a state of siege. Racial disorders in interior states of Brazil have been going on for several weeks and a revolution is said to be threatened.

Mamma Says Its Better Than Meat For Me

Delicious
"Minnesota"
Macaroni



NELSON-FULTON BOUT CALLED OFF

Hudson Promoters Abandon Schedule on Eve of the Match; May Pull Off Fight Here

The Charlie Nelson-Fulton bout at Hudson is off and efforts are now being made to stage the bout before the La Crosse Athletic club. The Sparta heavyweight, a brother of Art Nelson, received a telegram from the Hudson promoters today declaring that the match has been called off, but giving no reason. The eleventh-hour withdrawal of Defoe who was scheduled to take part in the semi-windup is believed to be responsible for the calling off of the Hudson card.

The Nelson brothers arrived here today and opened negotiations for the Nelson-Fulton bout here on the 19th, but nothing definite has been done by the club members in this respect.

Charlie Nelson and Fulton should put up a good heavyweight bout, being evenly matched. Both men weigh in the neighborhood of 210 and Sparta fans believe their man would clean up on the Minneapolis copper, although younger at the game.

Sparta fans are now holding nearly \$300 which had been raised to back Nelson in the Hudson bout tomorrow night. This money will probably be used against Frank Force's protegee if arrangements are made for a match here.

Art Nelson, who has appeared before La Crosse fight fans in the past, will meet Ned Carpenter of Burlington, Iowa, at Beloit Wednesday.

POPE RECEIVES ST. PAUL PRELATE

ROME, March 5.—Pope Pius today received in private audience Archbishop John J. Lawler of St. Paul. His grace, on leaving the Vatican, said that the pope appeared to be in most excellent health.

ELLIS MAY KNOW FATE BY EVENING

CHICAGO, March 5.—The case of William Cheney Ellis, former Cincinnati manufacturer, on trial for the murder of his wife, went to the jury at 1:10 this afternoon. A verdict is expected before night.

W. C. T. U. SERVICE AT JAIL

The Woman's Christian Temperance union held their regular monthly service at the jail Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The meeting was opened with a song, followed by a talk by Rev. J. H. Klaus of the German M. E. church. A choir of young ladies from the German M. E. church sang three special numbers that were well received.

SOAP ON HAIR CAUSES DANDRUFF, SCALP GETS DRY, HAIR FALLS OUT

Girls! Get a 25 cent bottle and try a "Danderine Hair Cleanse."

After washing your hair with soap always apply a little Danderine to the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible, and instead have a "Danderine Hair Cleanse." Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one strand at a time. This will remove dirt and excessive oil. In a few moments you will be amazed, your hair will not only be clean, but it will be wavy, fluffy and abundant, and possess an incomparable softness and lustre.

Besides cleansing and beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; stimulates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Men! Ladies! You can surely have lots of charming hair. Get a 25 cent bottle of Knewlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it.

RAINEY'S AFRICAN HUNT PICTURES—AT THE BIJOU

Admission to Adults, 10c from 2:00 to 10:30.
Children's 5c Tickets sold from 2 to 6 p. m. for matinees.

These pictures made for FRIDAY and SATURDAY for

RESINOL STOPS SKIN TORMENTS

How This Wonderful Ointment Ends Itching and Heals Skin Eruptions.

The soothing, healing medication in Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap penetrates every tiny pore of the skin, clears it of all impurities, and stops itching instantly. Resinol positively speeds healing of eczema, rashes, ringworm, and other eruptions, and clears away disgusting pimples and blackheads, when other treatments prove worse than useless.

Resinol is not an experiment. It is a doctor's prescription which proved so wonderfully successful for skin troubles that it has been used by other doctors all over the country for eighteen years. No other treatment for the skin now before the public can show such a record of professional approval. Every druggist sells Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap, but you can test them at our expense. Just write to Dept. T.M. Resinol, Baltimore, Md., and we will send you by parcel post a generous trial of each, with the two new Resinol Books.

FEATHERLY HEADS EMPLOYEES' SOCIETY

Superintendent of Gas Distribution Elected Wren Gas & Electric Workers' Association Meets

Frank Featherly, superintendent of gas distribution, was unanimously elected president of the La Crosse Gas and Electric Employees' association, at their annual meeting last night. Other officers elected were: Thomas Bramwell, vice president; P. R. Linker, secretary; L. M. LaVaque, treasurer, and O. E. Schumacher, Miss Bessie Denen and J. B. Parsons, directors.

Dr. H. Clay Evenson delivered an excellent address illustrated by stereoscopic slides on "Norway, Its Customs and Resources."

The meeting was the largest ever held and it is the intention to continue during the ensuing year with lectures and discussions at which all of the members of the Employees' association, their families and friends are welcome. Light refreshments were served, after which Emil Niemeyer entertained.

The club rooms have been re-arranged, permitting of additional seating capacity and allowing each entertainment to close with a dance.

TO BE WED WHILE 7,000 MILES APART

OTTAWA, Ill., March 5.—Seven thousand miles of land and sea will separate Angel Fernandez, of the village of Dupue, near here, from his bride, Pilar Mallada, when they are made man and wife in Aviles, Spain, Easter Monday.

Fernandez looked forward today to celebrating the occasion in his La Salle county home, while in far off Spain his wedding march will be played and his blushing bride will be led to the altar by Nicholas Mallada, who in a formal legal contract has been made Fernandez' proxy for the marriage ceremony.

In accordance with their sealed agreement, Nicholas will take the vow for Fernandez and then will start Mrs. Fernandez on the long journey to join her husband.

PLAN SPEEDWAY FOR CHICAGO RACES

CHICAGO, March 5.—Plans for a \$750,000 automobile speedway to rival the one at Indianapolis, were announced here today by a group of Chicagoans, who yesterday purchased a 500 acre tract twenty-seven miles from Chicago near Joliet.

J. H. Palmer, of the J. H. Palmer Steel & Iron company, is at the head of the syndicate. He said work would be started within thirty days on a track to be two miles in length and so banked at the turns as to permit a speed of 100 miles. The stands will be of reinforced concrete and built to seat at least 100,000. The promoters hope to hold their first meeting in October.

COUNTY BREEDERS OF HORSES MEET

All Interested in Equine Improvement to Gather at Onalaska Saturday

On Saturday, March 7, at 2 p. m., there will be a meeting of the La Crosse County Horse Breeders' association at the agricultural school in Onalaska. It is desired that a more permanent organization be effected and all who are members of this association and all others who are interested in the improvement of horses are requested to be present. Several important matters are coming up for consideration at that time.

MEDICS MEET TONIGHT

The regular monthly meeting of the La Crosse Medical association will be held at the Elks' club at 8 o'clock tonight.

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700 ENTRIES IN FARM INSTITUTE

Second Annual Affair at McGregor Proves Success from Every Viewpoint

HORSE SHOW IS DRAWING CARD

More Entries Made This Year and Standard of Horses Competing Is Higher

MCGREGOR, Iowa, March 4.—The second Farmers' Institute for McGregor was held Friday and Saturday. Large crowds from about the county attended and the institute was a success from every point of view. About 700 entries were made in corn, grain, horses, poultry, vegetables, apples, baking, pantry stores, fancy work, domestic science, manual training and other kinds of school work for boys and girls. A splendid feature was the harmonious cooperation of the farmers and towns people in the management of the institute.

Special exhibits of interest were the grains and seeds from all over the world displayed by Gilchrist and Co., and an exhibit of Mississippi river fish by W. H. G. Elwell. Music was furnished by the boys' band both afternoons in the exhibition hall and other special music was provided for the programs. The horse show proved a drawing card, teams coming from Monona and considerable distance in other directions. More horses were entered than last year and the standard of those competing was conspicuously higher. This was true also of the exhibits in all other departments. The interest taken in outside schools in the boys' and girls' contests was a pleasing feature. Guttenberg and Monona sent excellent displays and carried off a number of prizes.

The program consisted of an address on "Taxes" by Governor Clarke; a cooking demonstration and talk on vegetables by Miss Ethel Phelps of Ames; an address on "Alfalfa" by Prof. Hauser of Ames; and a talk on Hog Cholera by Mr. Scott of the state veterinary department.

Four hundred dollars in cash and merchandise was distributed as premiums. The awards were as follows:

- Best farm team—First, B. Schreiver; second, Wm. Meyer; third, L. Miller.
- Best team roadsters—First, L. Tapper; second, E. Dehaven; third, S. Ellenboldt.
- Best single driving horse—First, J. Steele; second, E. Russell.
- Best family horse—First, L. Tapper; second, S. Ellenboldt; third, R. McWilliams.
- Best pair Plymouth Rock foals—First, A. Struckhoff; second, Mrs. F. Werges.
- Best pair Wyandotte fowls—First, D. Davis; second, L. R. Jones.
- Best pair Rhode Island Red fowls—First, A. Lewis; second, A. Lenth.
- Best pair Orpington fowls—First, N. Mehling; second, G. J. Heilman.
- Best pair Leghorn fowls—First, Wm. Meyer.
- Best pair ducks—First, H. Reynolds; second, R. Liebner.
- Best display of poultry—First, W. A. Meyer; second, R. Liebner.
- Largest rooster—One premium won by Mrs. F. Werges.
- Best ten ears yellow corn—First, Wm. Meyer; second, A. Adney; third, A. Kersten.
- Best ten ears white corn—First, H. Corlett; second, L. Allen; third, J. H. Robbins.
- Best single ear of corn—First, J. G. Laird; second, T. Grady; third, W. Davies.
- Best display of corn—First, P. Peterson; second, R. Liebner; third, Takes brothers.
- Best peck clover seed—First, C. Kramer; second, L. J. Larson; third, J. Anderson.
- Best peck timothy seed—First, J.

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- Heilman; second, W. Davies; third, C. Noeding.
- Best peck barley—First, J. Heilman; second, W. Davies; third, C. Kramer.
- Best peck oats—First, J. Heilman; second, F. Becker; third, C. Washburn.
- Best peck rye—First, J. Heilman; second, A. Fritz.
- Best peck winter wheat—First, C. W. Jenkins; second, W. Davies.
- Best peck spring wheat—First, G. Miller; second, W. Davies; third, J. Heilman.
- Best display of grains and seeds—First, J. Heilman; second, V. P. Beckett; third, W. Davies.
- Best peck early seed potatoes—First, A. Erbe; second, C. Kramer; third, A. Adney.
- Best peck late seed potatoes—First, R. Liebner; second, C. Carlson; third, A. Adney.
- Best display vegetables four or more kinds—One premium, won by Mrs. R. Liebner.
- Best plate apples—First, Otto Klein; second, A. A. Sawvell.
- Best display of apples—First, W. Davies; second, E. Trygg.
- Best two pounds dairy butter—First, Mrs. A. Kersten; second, Mrs. M. Takes; third, Mrs. D. McGill; fourth, Mrs. T. Grady.
- Best dozen eggs—First, Miss Wickersheim; second, Mrs. J. H. Robbins; third, Mrs. C. Noeding.
- Best loaf bread made from Sweet Cream flour—One premium, won by Mrs. C. L. Luckerman.
- Best loaf bread made from Maro flour—First, Bessie Lindquist; second, Mrs. L. R. Jones.
- Best loaf white bread—First, Mrs. D. McGill; second, A. A. Sawvell.
- Best loaf white bread—One premium, won by Miss Wickersheim.
- Best loaf graham bread—One premium, won by Mrs. A. Erbe.
- Best one dozen raised biscuits—One premium, won by Mrs. C. Washburn.
- Best one dozen rolls—One premium, won by Mrs. F. Werges.
- Best German coffee cake—One premium, won by Mrs. R. Liebner.
- Best one dozen doughnuts—First, Miss M. Teynor; second, Mrs. A. Lenth.
- Best one dozen hermit cookies—One premium, won by Mrs. Balliett.
- Best one dozen ginger cookies—One premium, won by Mrs. A. Saacke.
- Best one dozen sugar cookies—One premium, won by Mrs. J. H. Robbins.
- Best nut layer cake—One premium, won by Mrs. J. Heilman.
- Best chocolate layer cake—One premium, won by Mrs. W. Hirsch.
- Best coconut layer cake—One premium, won by Mrs. H. Reynolds.
- Best caramel layer cake—One premium, won by Mrs. H. Reynolds.
- Best angel food—One premium, won by Miss Olga Lenth.
- Best spiced cake—One premium, won by Mrs. J. Burekhart.
- Best plain loaf cake—One premium, won by Mrs. A. Cutler.
- Best burnt sugar loaf cake—One premium, won by Mrs. A. Lenth.
- Best apple pie—One premium, won by Mrs. H. Reynolds.
- Best mince pie—One premium, won by Mrs. R. Liebner.
- Best one crust pie—One premium, won by Mrs. Eric Trygg.
- Best display canned fruit—First, Mrs. R. Liebner; second, Mrs. M. Ramage; third, Miss Wickersheim.
- Best display bottled pickles—

- First, Mrs. R. Liebner; second, Miss Wickersheim.
- Best two pounds comb honey—First, Harry Scott; second, L. G. Larson.
- Best one quart cottage cheese—First, Mrs. P. McDowell; second, Miss Beatrice Beckett.
- Best display Irish crochet—First, Mrs. J. Kramer; second, Mrs. C. Fette.
- Best display tatting—First, Miss Olga Lenth; second, Mrs. J. Gray.
- Best white embroidery—First, Mrs. C. Nelson; second, Mrs. J. Stanger.
- Best home made rug—First, Mrs. D. Davis; second, Mrs. Clara Lons.
- Best pillow cover in outline stitch made by girl 15 or under—First, Katharine Heilman; second, Esther Kossack.
- Best hemming on napkins by girl 16 or under—First, Alice Ary; second, Gussie Klein.
- Best hemstitching by girl 16 or under—First, Gussie Klein; second, Ruth Bergman.
- Best white embroidery by girl 15 or under—First, Iva Grouney; second, Margaret Daubenberger.
- Best colored embroidery by girl 16 or under—First, Ruth Bergman; second, Anna Guetloff.
- Best shirtwaist made by girl 18 or under—First, Mahalia Winkler; second, Alice Ary.
- Best apron made by girl 15 or under—First, Anna Erbe; second, Anna Schultz.
- Best one-half dozen buttonholes made by girl between ages of 15 and 18—One premium, won by Gussie Klein.
- Best one-half dozen buttonholes made by girl under 15—One premium, won by Katharine Heilman.
- Best darning on stockings by girl 17 or under—First, Gussie Klein; second, Annetta O'Brien.
- Best patching on cotton goods by girl 15 or under—First, Esther Kossack; second, Anna Schultz.
- Best one dozen kodak pictures by boy or girl under 18—First, Lizzie Fuerster; second, Mabel Eric.
- Best specimen penmanship by boy or girl under 18—One premium, won by Mildred Siglin.
- Best specimen free hand drawing by boy or girl under 18—Pearl Garretson.
- Best display crocheted articles by boy or girl under 16—One premium, won by Robert Kramer.
- Best display tatting by boy or girl 16 or under—One premium, won by Anna Guetloff.
- Best articles made with tools by girl 15 to 18—First, Alfred Snyder; second, Earl Davis; third, Harold Reincke.
- Best toyboat made by boy 16 or under—First, Charles Turned; second, Frederick Huelsch.
- Best bow and arrow made by boy 17 or under—First, Gil Erickson; second, Sherman Chase; third, Scotty Sparks.
- Best wooden spoon whittled by boy 12 or under—First, Harvey Weir; second, Elton Laird; third, Russell Schreiver.

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were Messrs. and Mesdames S. E. Hutchins, John Towner, W. E. Sparling, L. E. Putnam, C. H. Growt, H. J. Aldrich, H. L. Sparling, H. R. Trowbridge and Mr. E. D. Smith.

Gayle Putnam met with quite a severe accident Wednesday while sliding down hill. He ran into a post which resulted in a gashed chin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam very pleasantly entertained at their home at 6 o'clock dinner Monday and Tuesday evenings. After the dinner was served the evenings were spent at games and a general good social time.

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About thirty-five neighbors and friends gathered at the home of H. Sanbergen to give them a farewell party. A picnic dinner was served followed by a jolly social time. Mr. and Mrs. Sanbergen were presented with table linen and silverware as a token of remembrance.

Mr. U. H. Hinch of White, S. D., visited at the home of G. G. Gibbs Friday and Saturday.

Mr. H. Hoberton was taken to a La Crosse hospital Monday for surgical treatment.

Mrs. Altenberg, who has been spending the Winter at Spencer, Ia., returned home Friday. She was accompanied by her daughter Lulu.

Mrs. Phelps of Onalaska is visiting her mother, Mrs. Altenberg, for a few days.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas entertained about forty of her friends at her home Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. Luncheon was served and a very pleasant afternoon enjoyed by those present.

Gibson Brothers' vaudeville show comes here Friday night and remains until the 17th. The people come highly recommended.

BOOMING THE TOWN

OOM Bannington!

Dick Searle glanced at the red button on which the legend appeared in glaring white letters and smiled to himself. Clearly the boom had struck Bannington and had hit it hard, for on every coat lapel and dainty shirt waist appeared the crimson badge that was the outward sign of a boomer.

"It's a new idea," explained his sister as she led the way to the rear of the station where the horses were hitched.

"They held a series of town meetings and everybody who wears a button is pledged to do something to boom the town."

"What is to be your contribution?" he demanded with a laugh as he swung her into the buggy and took a seat beside her.

Bess glanced at her badlamoned finger with conscious pride.

"Carl Halsey is going to move his factory here," she said with a blush. Searle leaned over and kissed the rosy cheek.

"Good news, indeed!" he cried. "There is no one I would rather have for a brother-in-law. I'm beginning to approve of this boom idea."

"Then get a badge," urged Bess promptly. "Of course, you don't live here any more, but you are home so much that you still seem like one of us."

"Perhaps I shall," assented her brother, "but it's a little too early yet to commence to boom. Wait until I get used to the town again. This is the first time I have been here in three months."

Bess smiled. She knew what her brother meant. "Getting used" meant going to see Laura Bailey. Ever since he had left home, some four years previously, he had returned at frequent intervals to urge Laura to consent to their marriage.

Bess knew what her brother did not, that Miss Bailey loved him, but was not willing to exchange her freedom for a wedding ring so soon.

She had tried to make Dick see that it was merely a question of waiting, but, manlike, he did not understand and as soon as the disappointment of one refusal was over, he returned to plead his suit only to return to the city downcast and disappointed.

Now, as soon as he had reached the house and had exchanged greetings with the family, he strolled off down the street with an elaborate assumption of having nowhere in particular to go, but Bess knew that presently he would be found on the Bailey porch with Laura teasing him to her heart's content.

Laura, too, was wearing the badge of the boomers, and she offered one to Searle, who laughingly refused it.

"I want to see how this booming

works before I pledge myself," he explained.

Smiling at the idea, he rose and



button, to investigate which Dick had taken himself off so suddenly.

Dick, making his way down to the business section of the town, found that the boom was very much in earnest.

Bannington had many natural advantages. There was water power in plenty, with a good harbor on the lake front, and two railroads passed through the place. But it had been rather sleepy.

Suddenly the town had awakened from its inaction at the call of the editor of a newly established daily paper, and "Boom Bannington" was the cry and craze of the day. Even the children were interested.

Everywhere he went Dick was importuned to wear one of the badges and join the boomers, but he smilingly refused and gave the same enigmatic answer that had amazed Laura.

He found that his sister was regarded as one of the notable workers

through her capture of the Halsey factory. None of the other girls had made such an important contribution, and Bess wore her laurels proudly.

For the first few days, Laura wondered at his absorption in other affairs, then she grew worried. She loved Richard Searle, but she loved, too, her liberty, and was unwilling to surrender so soon. It was three days before Dick came to call again, and when he did there was an odd constraint in her manner.

"Have you joined the boomers yet?" she asked to make conversation.

Dick shook his head in negation.

"I am willing to be boomed," he declared. "I came up here to look over the ground for a factory. Some of the people I have done business with are going to set up a plant, and I told them about Bannington. I am to have the position as superintendent."

"And you would not join the boomers that Bess might get the credit for the capture?" she asked a little jealously.

"No," said Dick, slowly. "The credit will not go to Bess but to you—if you land it."

"You spoke as though it were already settled," she reminded.

"Carrieston will do as well by us," he explained. "It all depends on the bonus Bannington will give."

"Bonus!" Laura was startled. She knew that in some instances a payment had been made to some one in order to influence a decision, but she could not believe that Dick would make such a demand.

"Carrieston does not offer to throw in a wife to boot," explained Searle, smiling at her confusion. "I thought that perhaps just to 'Boom Bannington,' you might consent to say 'Yes' after all those negatives. Will you, Laura?"

"To boom Bannington," she assented, and she smiled down upon the little red button that had enabled her to reverse her decision gracefully.

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JUNIORS INTERESTED

CONTESTS OF ALL AROUND DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE AROUSE ENTHUSIASM AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Much interest is being taken by the junior members of the Y. M. C. A. in the contests of the All Around Development League which are under the direction of H. O. Lee. In the Junior B class there are two leagues, each with an average of nine members. The Junior A league is divided into four groups of ten members each. The respective groups have been competing in track, field and aquatic events as well as in basketball. Following are the standings of the different groups or teams up to Monday of this week.

Junior B specials—Stoux, Shiel, captain, 28; Apaches, Jacobs, captain, 29; Cherokeees, Croder, captain, 31; Winnelagoes, Fritz, captain, 32.

Junior B minors—Swastikas, Heyerdal, captain, 33; Seminoles, Verly,

captain, 34; Iroquois, Hurteen, captain, 35; Ojibway, Dumke, captain, 36.

Junior A—Cornell, Adams, captain, 42; Yale, J. Sanders, captain, 25; Wisconsin, W. Sanders, captain, 61; Dartmouth, Westby, captain, 32.

SPARTA, WIS.

The cases heard in circuit court yesterday were those of Wm. Heiser, plaintiff, versus Louis Weiner, defendant, and Cecil Manley against the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway company. The case of Heiser versus Weiner was an action brought to recover damages for the killing of Heiser's sheep by dogs belonging to Weiner. The parties reside in the town of Greenfield. Graham and Graham of Tomah were attorneys for the plaintiff and Donovan and Gleiss for the defendant. The jury deliberated at length and brought in a verdict for the defendant about 19 o'clock. The case of Cecil Manley versus the railroad is to act damages for injury sustained while working in the railroad yards at Tomah.

Donovan and Gleiss were lawyers for the plaintiff and Attorney H. J. Killilea of Milwaukee, represented the interests of the railroad. Much evidence was introduced, and the case will be continued this morning. Among those taking part in this case are Herman Kupper, Michael Sullivan, George H. Terry, Robert Randall and Emil Gerke of Tomah, who were witnesses. The claim agent of the road, William A. Hiney, was also present.

Several prominent attorneys from out of town have been in Sparta this week attending the term of circuit court. Among the number are T. P. Donovan and Naylor and McCaul of Tomah; Paul W. Mahoney and Judge Kleeber of La Crosse; W. H. Farnsworth of Portage, and Judge C. W. Graves of Viroqua.

Judge McCoy is in Madison today on business. Lawrence Owsley of Brooks, Wis., is visiting friends in his old home town.

Thomas Pierce of Westby, was in Sparta this week on business connected with the sale of the E. J. Evans lumber yard to the Brittingham & Hixon Lumber Co.

Miss Mary Brooks is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties in the telephone office.

Great numbers of Sparta fans can be seen in the basement of the Warner house these days between three and four o'clock to watch the Nelson boys in their practice bouts. Sometimes a local "white hope" puts on the gloves, which makes much greater sport for the on-lookers.

The second farmers' institute for Monroe county will take place in Clifton on March 19th and 11th. The institute will be in charge of E. Nordman, assisted by W. H. Hanchett of Sparta and E. L. Aderhold of Neenah.

Mrs. Joseph N. Summerfield left for Chicago Saturday night, where she is spending this week selecting the spring stock of millinery for Mrs. O. F. Angle.

The Misses Kit Madden and Alice Hoffman spent yesterday in La Crosse.

John Frohmader of Winona, Wash., is visiting with relatives in this city.

The semi-annual business meeting

of the stockholders of the Grossman Wardrobe Co., was held in the Sparta offices of the company Tuesday night. Among those present from out of town were Carl Justen, Westby; Francis Hutson, Hillsboro; Arthur Vieth, Mauston; Walter Card, Tomah; Louis Larson, Mayo; and Paul Austin of Tomah.

The council held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the council rooms. The report of the water commission was presented. The report was very comprehensive and it was moved to extend a vote of thanks to the commission and have the report printed in the official paper.

The Jefferson Debating club elected officers for its spring term at its regular weekly meeting. Those chosen were John Doyle, president; Robert Smith, secretary; Philip Hytson, treasurer, and Hubert Harmon, vice president.



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VOLLEY BALLERS FIX SCHEDULES

Rowlison's Doctors Lead League and Hankerson's Noons Are Next

The complete schedule for the new volley ball league at the Y. M. C. A. has been arranged. Today the highs are to play the normals the first half hour and the Doctors the Fast Mails the last half. It has been agreed that there be two games Thursdays and one Tuesdays instead of three games Thursdays. It was found that the latter arrangement crowded the teams. The teams which are to play Tuesday will be announced at the time. Following is the schedule:

Week of March 8—Fast Mails vs. Highs, Doctors vs. Lawyers, Normals vs. Noons.

Week of March 15—Normals vs. Fast Mails, Doctors vs. Noons, Lawyers vs. Highs.

Week of March 22—Doctors vs. Highs; Normals vs. Lawyers, Fast Mails vs. Noons.

Week of March 29—Doctors vs. Normals, Fast Mails vs. Lawyers, Highs vs. Noons.

Week of April 5—Noons vs. Lawyers, Highs vs. Doctors, Doctors vs. Fast Mails.

Week of April 12—Fast Mails vs. Highs, Doctors vs. Lawyers, Normals vs. Noons.

Week of April 19—Same as March 15.

Week of April 26—Same as March 22.

Week of May 3—Same as March 29.

Standings of the Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Rowlison's Doctors	2	0	1.000
Hankerson's Noons	1	1	.500
Schweizer's Lawyers	3	2	.600
Scullin's Fast Mails	0	2	.000
Moore's Normals	0	2	.000
McCormick's Highs	0	2	.000

LOCAL CHANGE IS LARGEST ORDERED

Biggest Single Improvement in Water Systems in State Is One Ordered in La Crosse

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—(Special.)—In three years over \$700,000 in improvements have been ordered upon water plants by the railroad commission. Twenty-one cities have been affected by the orders. The largest single improvement was ordered in the city of La Crosse where the new water supply and extensions are estimated to cost \$322,509. All of these extensions have resulted in a general improvement of the service and in many cases the original water supply was found contaminated and a new source of supply was ordered. The improvements at Appleton will aggregate about \$231,000; Antigo, \$6,000; Beloit, \$600; Mellen, \$14,473; Darlington, \$2,200; Oconto, \$2,200; Janesville, \$4,800; Marinette, \$271; Tomahawk, \$813; Madison, \$5,000; Eau Claire, \$2,416; Beaver Dam, \$19,784; Green Bay, \$15,000; Neenah, \$2,387; Evansville, \$1,371; Elkhart Lake, \$200; and Lake Mills, \$13,000.

The aggregate total of improvements as disclosed by the commission's books is \$700,267. A large number of the water plants of the state are municipal companies.

Easy Job.
"I would be willing to work," said Tyre Doot. "If I could get the sort of job I want."
"What would that job be?"
"Well, I wouldn't mind calling out the stations on an Atlantic liner."

Sadder and Wiser.
Those who jump at conclusions usually go limping back to the starting point.—Boston Transcript.

Started Late.
Ogilby, translator of Homer and Vergil, was unacquainted with Greek until he was past fifty years of age.

Thrift, Energy and Patience

These are the fundamentals necessary for the acquisition of wealth when one has no money with which to make a start.

One of them is about as important as the other, but genuine old-fashioned thrift is the largest factor in most self-made

FINANCIAL SUCCESS

Follow these worthy examples and open a savings bank account—one of the surest things in the world. There is no speculation about it. You save the money regularly week after week and it will be there when you want it most and its earnings besides.

We pay 3% on Savings Accounts.

The National Bank Of La Crosse

Capital and Surplus, \$650,000.00.

CHARGE HE SHOT ALLEGED FRIEND

TROUT CREEK, Mich., March 5.—That he kicked snow over his victim to hide the body after shooting him down, is the charge the authorities make against Anton Semiski of Trout Creek, as the result

of an attack on Michael Rapset, a woodsman. The police say Semiski has confessed to pretending to be a friend to Rapset and shooting him down in a lonely place and kicking snow until the body was covered. Rapset was discovered shortly afterward by other woodsmen and will recover, it is believed.

BREATHE FREELY! OPEN NOSTRILS AND STUFFED HEAD—ENDS CATARRH

Instant Relief When Nose and Head are Clogged from a Cold. Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Vanishes.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone. End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately. Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless. Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY

Wm. Hodge

(The Man from Home) in a pure play

"The Road To Happiness"

Direct from 22 weeks in Chicago—the longest run of any play produced this year in the United States.

Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Seats Friday morning. Mail order now.

Bringing Up Father

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By George McManus



Petey Gets His First Good Look At Josie

By C. A. Voight



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HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Blacksmith, L. O. Kirmse, West Salem, Wis. 2 24 tf
WANTED—A bench man at Ruplin Baking Co. 3 2 tf
WANTED—At once, man with 5x7 camera for flash light. F. Daniels, general delivery. 3 4 5
LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN, brakemen, wages about \$100; experience unnecessary. Send age, postage, railway, care Tribune. 3 4 5
WANTED—Delivery boy, A. Norby, West Market. 3 4 11
WANTED—Good dairy, farm hand. New phone 2117. 3 4 11

WANTED—Two solicitors for special proposition. Position permanent. Liberal compensation. Apply 322 Pearl street. 3 5 7

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Two lady solicitors for special proposition. Position permanent. Liberal compensation. Apply 322 Pearl street. 3 5 7

WANTED—At once, girls in our knitting department. La Crosse Knitting Co. 2 11 tf

WANTED—Competent cook, three in family. Good wages. Inquire evenings, 1029 Cameron avenue. 3 2 tf

WANTED—Experienced cook at the Home restaurant, 118 So. Fifth. 2 24 tf
WANTED—At once, cook, 517 So. Third. 3 5 7

WANTED—At once, girls at the Nora house. 3 5 7
WANTED—Short order woman cook at the Northwestern hotel. 3 5 11
WANTED—Girl, 821 State. 2 18 tf
WANTED—Girl at Eagle hotel. 2 3 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1231 Ferry street. 3 4 6
WANTED—Dishwasher at the Standard hotel. 3 4 6

FOR SALE

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE—Bargains in unredeemed stored goods, while they last. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 2 26 3 31

FOR SALE—Big bargain, used Story & Camp piano, \$50. Carl B. Noelke. 3 5 9
FOR SALE—My \$500 Weber piano, first good offer gets it. New phone 1597-M for appointment. 3 5 11

FOR SALE—Pointer puppies, whelped Feb. 1, 1914, from bench show and field trial winning stock. Pedigree contains the blood of Fisher's Frank Hard Cash Champion Hal pointers, King Cyran, etc. Address F. C. Witt, Bangor, Wis. 3 5 11

FOR SALE—30 h.p. 4 cylinder gasoline motor, new—completely equipped with carburetor, magneto. A high grade motor at a bargain. Address J. W. Miller, 3305 Clinton Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn. 3 5 6

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FOR SALE—S. C. Mottled Incubators

eggs \$1.00 per 15; four incubators. New phone 1491-M. 906 Avon street. J. Wilbur. Also a new line of wall paper. 3 2 7

FOR SALE—Two light horses, 526 Oakland street. 3 2 7
FOR SALE—Two houses and one lot. Inquire 149 South Sixth. 2 25 tf

FOR SALE—6 h. p. Gray engine, cheap. 122 South Third street. 2 28 3 6

FOR SALE—Modern residence, 803 South Eleventh street. 2 28 3 13
FOR SALE—Cheap, 28 foot motor boat, 44 h. p. racing model, excellent condition. Leaving the city. Inquire 607 Adams. 2 27 3 12

FOR SALE—Farm, good land, good buildings, artesian well. Adjoins the city limits to Sparta. Inquire L. A. Miller, Sparta, Wis. Route 5, Box 3. 2 29 3 8

FOR SALE—Farm, 63 acres, in Norman Coulee. Address Henry Wick, R. 1, La Crosse, Wis. 2 21 tf

BRICK YARD FOR SALE—Complete, including one Christolm, Boyd & White Co. 1837 model. Two mould brick machine; one Monarch mould brick machine, with elevator complete; one Horton mould sander; eighty horse power boiler; sixty horse power engine; four acres of land, kilns, sheds, and all necessary tools. Situated within limits of good live town in Trempealeau county, Wisconsin. Must be sold quick and price will be made accordingly. Address R. N. Kienzie, Galesville, Wis. 3 5 7

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 317 South Eighth street. 3 2 7
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 627 Vine. 3 5 11
FOR RENT—Farm, 7 miles from town. Inquire at 2235 Mormon Coulee road. 3 5 11

FOR RENT—Pleasant front room at 503 Cass, upstairs, city heat. 3 5 11
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Gentlemen preferred. 618 South Fifth street. 3 5 11

FOR RENT—Nice, large, light offices with city heat, over 307-309 Main street. Inquire Room 3 Bata-vian Bank building. 2 28 3 13

FOR RENT—Two pleasant rooms, modern conveniences, city heat, furnished or unfurnished. 125 South Fifth street. 3 4 tf

FOR RENT—Modern house, 723 Ferry. New phone 1591-A. 3 2 6
FOR RENT—On shares, a paying quarter section in central N. Dakota. All good land; good house and barn. Kenner must furnish horses and machinery. W. Nicholls, Trempealeau, Wis. 3 2 12

FOR RENT—House, 221 North 21st. Price \$9.00. 2 27 3 6
FOR RENT—Five room house. Address R, care of Tribune. 2 26 tf

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, modern improvements. 1331 Vine St. 2 22 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern, close in. You must see these rooms. Inquire 209 Linker building. New phone 970. 2 9 1
FOUR FURNISHED ROOMS—partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 1 28 tf

MISCELLANEOUS
NOTICE.
General furniture upholstering. New furniture upholstered in latest style. Repaired like new. Sanitary work and reasonable prices. Call Weiler, new phone 1302-M, or write 327 North Ninth street. 2 14 3 12

WANTED—Several cars of pine lath for immediate and future delivery. Give full particulars as to condition, grade and price. L. M. Brennan, 1119 Manhattan Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 2 28 3 6

WANTED TO BUY—For cash, a 5 or 6 room house within walking distance postoffice. Address 56, Tribune. 3 3 11

WANTED TO BUY—Moving picture show in good town. Address E 7, Tribune. 3 3 9

WANTED—Position by young man as bookkeeper. Call new phone 49 1 14 tf

CARPENTER SHOP—626 Main. 9 26 tf

TRY QUINN'S New restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinner 20c. 5 3 tf

Piano Tuning
RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Stoves and Furniture.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 3 4 4 3

LOST
LOST—Cameo stick pin, gold mounting. Return to Tribune. Reward. 3 5 7
LOST—Fireman's black service coat, between Adams and Jackson on Twelfth street. Finder please return to No. 3 engine house. 3 2 6

FINANCIAL
MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 811 Pearl. 5 5 tf

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION tells how to buy a home without money down. 9 17 tf

FUNERAL DIRECTORS
MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 20 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

Cut Rate Shipping
CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

REAL ESTATE
FOR RENT.
Four rooms, water and toilet inside. 919 Grove street. \$7.00. For sale or rent—Two story brick store with dwelling rooms on second floor. No. 113 Pearl St. FOR SALE.
2 lots, 19th and Madison, cheap. Several lots in Hengies addition, between 12th and 13th streets, at a bargain.
62x174 lot with brick house and frame house, 721 South 4th St. 285 acre farm, \$30 per acre. Call at office.
15 room home house, lot 171x 90, fully modern, splendid location for rooming or boarding house.
Three residence properties on North Fourth street, regular income for rents 11 per cent gross of selling price.
Property in Sixth and King streets, one house with 17 rooms, one house with 5 rooms, both fully modern, barn, pump, two full lots. Call at office.

C. F. KLEIN & SON
General Insurance, Bonds, Loans, Notary Public, 310 Pearl Street, La Crosse, Wis.

Comparative Markets
These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY
UNION STOCK YARDS, March 4.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market slow; mixed and butchers \$8.20 to \$8.70; good heavy \$8.45 to \$8.70; rough heavy \$8.30 to \$8.45; light \$8.50 to \$8.70; pigs \$7.60 to \$8.60.
Cattle—Receipts 14,000; market steady to higher; beefs \$7.20 to \$9.75; cows and heifers \$3.65 to \$8.55; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$8.00; Texans \$7.10 to \$8.10; calves \$7.00 to \$10.60.
Sheep—Receipts 22,000; market slow; native \$4.85 to \$6.20; western \$4.85 to \$6.20; lambs \$6.75 to \$7.60; western \$6.75 to \$7.65.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO
UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 25.—Hogs—Receipts 26,000; market strong; 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers \$8.50 to \$8.75; good heavy \$8.35 to \$8.45; rough heavy \$8.35 to \$8.45; light \$8.50 to \$8.75; pigs \$7.60 to \$8.60.
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Sheep—Receipts 32,000; market slow; native \$5.00 to \$6.40; western \$5.00 to \$6.40; lambs \$7.00 to \$8.10; western \$7.00 to \$8.10.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks
NEW YORK, March 5.—The stock market opened active and though the prices were lower on the first transactions, a tendency to recover was shown in subsequent sales.

11 a. m.—Toward the end of the first hour the general list became reactionary, the weakness in Chesapeake & Ohio counteracting the effect of the strength in industrial specialties. Room traders were decidedly bearish.

Noon.—The market showed good resistance to pronounced weakness in Chesapeake & Ohio during the second hour.

2 p. m.—Several weak spots were found during the second hour and some stocks went down too easily many believed a moderate volume of selling might cause a general decline.

The stock market showed a better tendency at the close, apparently due to Secretary Bryan's statement that all nations are in accord with the policy of the United States in the Mexican imbroglio.

New York Money
NEW YORK, March 5.—Money on call 1 1/2%.

Time money 3 1/2% to 3 3/4% for six months.
Bar Silver: London 27d; New York 58 1/2c.
Demand sterling \$45.90 to \$46.

Kansas City Livestock
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 5.—Cattle—Receipts 13,000; market strong; steers \$8.60 to \$9.40; cows and heifers \$4.35 to \$9.00; stockers and feeders \$6.50 to \$8.00; calves \$6.50 to \$11.00.
Hogs—Receipts 4,000; market steady to 5c lower; bulk \$8.30 to \$8.50; heavy \$8.45 to \$8.55; medium \$8.35 to \$8.55; light \$8.20 to \$8.45.
Sheep—Receipts 8,000; market steady to strong; lambs \$6.75 to \$7.60; ewes \$5.00 to \$5.60; stockers and feeders \$3.50 to \$6.75.

Chicago Livestock
UNION STOCK YARDS, March 5.—Hogs—Receipts 23,000; market slow; 5c lower; mixed and butchers \$8.35 to \$8.60; good heavy \$8.35 to \$8.60; rough heavy \$8.00 to \$8.35; light \$8.35 to \$8.60; pigs \$7.35 to \$8.40.
Cattle—Receipts 4,500 market steady to strong; beefs \$7.20 to \$9.75; cows and heifers \$3.65 to \$8.55; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$8.00; Texans \$7.10 to \$8.10; calves \$7.00 to \$11.00.
Sheep—Receipts 22,000; market steady to firm; native \$4.85 to \$6.25; western \$4.85 to \$6.25; lambs \$6.35 to \$7.65; western \$6.75 to \$7.80.

Chicago Produce
CHICAGO, March 5.—Butter—Extras 30 1/2c; firsts 27 1/2 to 28 1/2c; dairy extras 28 1/2c; firsts 24 to 25c. Eggs—Prime firsts 29 to 29 1/2c; ordinary 28 to 28 1/2c. Cheese—Twins 17 1/2c; Young Americas 18 1/2c.
Potatoes—57 to 65c.
Live Poultry—Fowls 15 to 15 1/2c; ducks 15 to 16c; geese 14c; spring chicks 17c turkeys 17c.
Barley and Flax
Minneapolis barley 43 to 62c.
Minneapolis flax \$1.53 1/2 to \$1.55 1/2.
Duluth flax \$1.55 1/2.

Chicago Cash Grain
CHICAGO, March 4.—Wheat—No. 2 red 94 1/2 to 95c; No. 3 red 93 to 94c; No. 2 hard 92 to 92 3/4c; No. 3 hard 91 1/2 to 92c; No. 3 spring 92 1/2 to 94 1/2c.
Corn—No. 3, 60 1/2 to 64 1/2c; No. 3 white 62 1/2 to 64 1/2c; No. 3 yellow 62 to 63c; No. 4, 58 1/2 to 60 1/2c; No. 4 white 61 1/2 to 63 1/2c; No. 4 yellow 58 1/2 to 61 1/2c.
Oats—No. 3 white 39 1/2 to 40c; No. 4 white 38 3/4 to 39 1/4c; standard 40 1/4 to 40 1/2c.

Chicago Grain Review
CHICAGO, March 5.—Wheat held its own remarkably well in the early trading today, despite lower Liverpool cables. Absence of offerings kept prices firm on last night's closing figures until nearly noon when there was a fractional loss.
Corn was firm with offerings light. The market became dull toward noon and May eased off a fraction.
Oats futures were strong early in the day with considerable buying by cash houses. When this demand was

satisfied, the market had an easier tone, the prices going down 1-4c for each month.

Provisions were firm and a trifle higher today on account of light offerings.

Wheat continued to decline in the afternoon, registering losses of 1-4 to 3-8c. Both corn and oats took part in the downward movement of the afternoon, but the loss in oats futures was only fractional.

Provisions gained a trifle in the afternoon trading and closed with gains for the day.

WHEAT
May . . . 93 1/2 93 1/2 92 3/4 92 3/4
July . . . 88 3/4 88 1/2 87 3/4 87 3/4

CORN
May . . . 67 1/2 67 1/2 66 3/4 66 3/4
July . . . 66 3/4 66 3/4 66 3/4 66 3/4

OATS
May . . . 40 3/4 40 3/4 40 1/4 40 1/4
July . . . 40 3/4 40 3/4 39 3/4 39 3/4

PORK
May . . . 21.37 21.50 21.37 21.47
July . . . 21.45 21.55 21.47 21.55

LARD
May . . . 10.60 10.70 10.60 10.70
July . . . 10.80 10.87 10.80 10.87

RIES
May . . . 11.40 11.45 11.37 11.42
July . . . 11.50 11.57 11.50 11.57

His Principal Occupation.
The art photographer had visited the farm. "I want to make an exhaustive study of this particular bit of landscape," he said, "and would like to have your hired man retain his present position on the fence there. Can he sit still?" "For days at a time," replied the farmer.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Real Love.
Haw—What would you do for the girl you really loved? Aw—Marry some one else.—Stanford Chaparral.

TEMPTATION.
Temptation is a fearful word. It indicates the beginning of a possible series of infinite evils. It is the ringing of an alarm bell whose melancholy sounds may reverberate through eternity. Like the sudden sharp cry of "Fire!" under our windows by night, it should rouse us to instantaneous action and brace every muscle to its highest tension.—Horace Mann.

U. S. Department of Agriculture. WEATHER BUREAU.

March 5, 1914.
La Crosse, Wis.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isolars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 60°, and 100°.

☉ clear; ☁ partly cloudy; ☂ cloudy; ☔ rain; ❄ snow; ⚡ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(LO) (HI) (P)
Boston . . . 32 48 0
Charleston . . . 48 56 0
New York . . . 30 42 0
Washington . . . 28 44 0
Galveston . . . 42 48 0
Jacksonville . . . 52 70 14
New Orleans . . . 48 58 1.22
Chicago . . . 30 36 0

(LO) (HI) (P)
La Crosse . . . 32 41 .04
Madison . . . 30 36 0
Memphis . . . 36 42 3.6
Milwaukee . . . 30 36 0
Bismarck . . . 30 48 .02
Huron . . . 32 46 0
Kansas City . . . 36 48 0
St. Paul . . . 32 40 .14

(LO) (HI) (P)
Boise . . . 34 44 .12
Denver . . . 28 52 .04
Helena . . . 30 42 0
Miles City . . . 30 48 0
Portland, Ore. . . 42 52 .08
Spokane . . . 32 52 0
Medicine Hat . . . 30 46 0

MOLASSES KISSES
Molasses Kisses, nice and fresh, with coupon very special 1/2 lb. for
3 cents

DOERFLINGER'S.

YOU PAY LESS HERE

SALTED PEANUTS
Fresh Salted Peanuts, with this coupon 1/2 pound for
5 cents

EXTRA SPECIAL SALE OF DRESS GOODS FRIDAY

LININGS

Fine 25c and 35c Linings. Heatherbloom, Taffeta included in Brown, Grey, Tans, etc.
Friday per yard **9c**

SOIESETTE

25c Genuine Mercerized 32 inch wide Soiesettes, 50 pieces in Black and every shade, including White and Cream, per yard **15c**

DRESS GINGHAMS

18c Renfrew fine 32 inch Dress Gingham in every plain color that is desirable, Blues, Tans, Browns, Greys, per yard.
12 1/2c

PLISSE CREPE

25c grade Washed Plisse Crepe, pure White, every tinted plain shade, and entire table of neat figured Crepes in dress and kimona patterns, per yard **15c**

Hundreds of Wash Goods Remnants in 2 to 10 yard lengths, marked at low remnant price. White Goods and fancy Wash Goods, that are very desirable, from 5c to 15c per yard with this coupon.

CLIP THESE COUPONS

Bring Them To The Store Friday

The difference between the regular price and the prices quoted here is represented by coupons. Under no circumstances will these prices be recognized unless accompanied by its respective coupon.

MAIN FLOOR

STATIONERY

Hytone Linen Stationery, a regular 35c value, with this coupon special per box **19c**

FREE!

We will give for Friday only 3 bars of Palm Olive Soap Free with every bar of Palm Olive Cream

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CORRESPONDENCE CARDS

Louisine Correspondence Cards, a 35c value, very special, with this coupon per box **19c**

THREAD

This coupon and 1c will buy a spool of Clark's 6 cord Machine Thread.

UMBRELLA

This coupon and 39c will buy a steel rod Umbrella, paragon frame and water-proof mercerized cover.

WOOL ROSE

This coupon and 18c will buy any pair of Women's fast Black and seamless Wool Hose, former price 25c.

HOSIERY

This coupon and 9c will buy a pair of fast Black and seamless ribbed top Hosiery for women, regular values per pair 15 cents.

UNION SUIT

This coupon and 35c will buy a Woman's long sleeved fleeced Union Suit, either fine or heavy ribbed White, former price 59c and 53c.

PILLOW SLIP

This coupon and 19c will buy a Roman Stripe Pillow Slip, worth 29c. Very pretty pattern.

PILLOW CASES

This coupon and 19c will buy a pair of good Bleached Pillow Cases, size 36x42.

HOSIERY

This coupon and 12c will buy a pair of Women's Black Wool Hose, former price 19c.

SECOND FLOOR

WOMEN'S SHOES

Women's Vic Kid Button or Lace style Shoes, with patent leather tips, new last, low or medium heels, \$1.85 value, with this coupon **\$1.39**

BOYS' CAPS

25c and this coupon will purchase any Boy's 49c value in Caps, Gloves or Mittens.

BOYS' SWEATERS

Choice of any Boy's 49c Sweaters, in colors of Gray, Red, Blue and White, with this coupon and **35c**

THIS COUPON WORTH \$1

toward purchase price of any Trunk, Suit Case or Traveling Bag, selling from \$19.50 to \$4.95

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Misses' and Children's Lace or Button Shoes, selling regularly at \$1.35 and \$1.48, with coupon and **98c**

BASEMENT

COFFEE

1 pound good Coffee, 25c value, with this coupon and **15c**

SAUCE PAN

This coupon and 5c will buy a White Enameled Sauce Pan, value 15c.

TOMATOES

1 can No. 2 size Tomatoes with coupon and **7c**

FLOWER POT

This coupon and 1c buys a 5 inch Flower Pot.

MATCHES

3 boxes (500) Matches, with coupon and **10c**

ROLLED OATS

8 pounds Rolled Oats, with this coupon for **25c**

BUTTER DISH

This coupon and 5c will buy a Glass Covered Butter Dish.

GRANITE DIPPER

This coupon and 7c will buy a Granite Dipper.

M'FARLAND STARTS COURT PROCEEDINGS

Gets Court Order Setting Aside First Suspension of Commission; Second Decision in Force

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 5.—Although Judge Eschweiler yesterday afternoon set aside the ruling of the state athletic commission of December 15, which barred Packey McFarland from boxing in Wisconsin rings for one year, this decree of the court does not affect the edict of the late commission, issued on Monday, in which McFarland's suspension was reaffirmed. This statement was given out last night by Secretary Vaughn of the commission, following the announcement of the court's decision. McFarland's suspension will date from December 8, last year, to December 9, this year, Mr. Vaughn said. It is understood that Attorney T. A. Manning, representing McFarland, will seek another court order, setting aside the second suspension of McFarland, but if this is attempted Mr.

Vaughn said the commission is fully prepared to contest the matter.

Attorney Manning and Attorney A. J. Hedding of the commission, as well as the commissioners, appeared in Judge Eschweiler's court yesterday when the plea of Mr. Manning, that the original ban on the Chicago boxer be lifted, was heard. Mr. Manning claimed that McFarland's suspension was ordered without giving the boxer an opportunity to be heard.

In his answer, Mr. Hedding admitted that the commission had erred in suspending McFarland without a hearing, but the plea was made that the commission, after realizing its procedure had been irregular, offered McFarland the right of a hearing. This hearing was set for Monday morning, but neither McFarland nor counsel appeared. Another session of the commission was called in the afternoon and again McFarland failed to be represented.

One of the members of the commission said last night that the attorney general's office had ruled that the commission was within its right on Monday when it handed down another decision barring McFarland after he had failed to present his plea.

McFarland was barred from boxing in Wisconsin on the ground that he did not put forth his best efforts in a match with Jack Britton at the Auditorium last December.

up Bubser for a sum of \$10,000 for their property in the league.

Wausau has a right to fix its own price as officials were given that right by directors in a recent meeting at Madison.

Freeport May Bring Suit

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 5.—That the Freeport club contemplates bringing suit against the Wisconsin-Illinois league if it does not obtain the Wausau franchise became known here on Wednesday.

JOHNNY TILLMAN OUTPOINTS BROWN

SUPERIOR, Wis., March 5.—Johnny Tillman, the clever Minneapolis lightweight boxer, sprang a big surprise here Tuesday night by outpointing Pal Brown, the highly touted Hibbing fighter, in a ten round bout. The only round in which Brown got as good as an even break was the first, which both boys devoted most of the time in feeling one another out.

Tillman split Brown's left ear open in the sixth round and that member was badly swollen at the finish. Brown's face was also mussed up. Tillman landed straight lefts and rights time and again without a return and also used a right uppeper with telling effect. The Minneapolis boy will be matched with Ad Wolgast at Hudson on the latter part of March.

CITIES WAR OVER WAUSAU FRANCHISE

GREEN BAY, Wis., March 5.—According to developments on Wednesday in the Wisconsin-Illinois league muddle, regarding the Wausau franchise, that city holds a better chance of retaining a franchise than does George Bubser of Freeport. It was admitted on Wednesday by President Frank R. Weeks that the option held by George Bubser expired on Saturday and that he did not exercise the right on the option until Sunday.

President Weeks said Bubser first wired him on Saturday asking for an extension of time. The message was not answered and on Sunday a Freeport man notified the local bank that the money would be placed to Weeks' credit on Monday. Reports from Wausau say officials there will hold

FIELDER JONES MAY BECOME FED

PORTLAND, Ore., March 5.—"If leave I shall give it careful consideration," said Fielder Jones, former manager of the Chicago White Sox and now president of the Northwest league. Mr. Jones made this statement on Wednesday after reading press dispatches from Chicago saying he would be offered the job of manager of the Brooklyn team in the Federal league. He says that so far he has received no offer from the "Feds." Mr. Jones since coming to Portland has found time to give attention to class B baseball, while looking after extensive timber land interests. His friends here believe that Jones will take a Federal league job if the salary offered is big enough.

ASK LA CROSSE TO JOIN NEW LEAGUE

Portage Fans Start Move to Organize Central Wisconsin League; to Play Sundays Only

PORTAGE, Wis., March 5.—Plans are formulating for the organization of a central Wisconsin baseball league which is to be formed from teams representing Portage, Kilbourn, Mauston, New Lisbon, La Crosse, Tomah, Sparta and Columbia. President Bert Carleton of the Silver Lake Athletic association of this city is formulating the proposition and says that there is very much interest. The teams are not to play weekday ball. Sunday games are all that are to be scheduled, four games being placed each week.

The Silver Lake Athletic association of this city had one of the fastest teams of the state playing independent ball last year, the players being mostly employees of the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road.

BADGER STARS TO PLAY LAST GAME

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—Three members of the Wisconsin basketball quintet, which meets Chicago here Friday night in the last home game of the season, will play their last game before the home rosters in that contest. There are Captain "Gene" Van Gent, Carl S. Harper and Al T. Sands. Van Gent and Harper have been important cogs in the Wisconsin "system" which has proved its efficiency over three seasons. Since 1912 they have worked for Wisconsin on the basketball floor and their work has been rewarded with three straight conference championships. Van Gent is from Ottumwa, Iowa; Harper from Madison and Sands from Chippewa Falls. All seats were sold before last night. The team will finish the season at Lafayette, Ind., with Purdue next Monday night.

SPORTS

MAGNATES READY TO SWAMP SHIP

Will Start Tug Race for the Home Coming Players; Managers Loaded with Blank Contracts

BY HAL SHERIDAN.

(Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, March 5.—Decks were cleared for action today and preparations made for the first naval battle in the war between the Federals and organized baseball. With the line Lusitania steaming toward port, bearing the world touring Giants and White Sox, commanding officers of baseball were arriving here on every train, hiring sea going tugs, and wondering whether they would have to get up before breakfast tomorrow in order to go down the bay for the firing of contracts at the steamship.

President Gilmore of the Federals arrived here during the morning. Ban Johnson and American league club owners, Garry Herrmann, Governor Tener and other moguls, will arrive later and the strategy boards will get together. Wireless reports declare the Lusitania has not been delayed by storms and will reach here on schedule time. That will be late this evening. The liner will not proceed to her pier until early tomorrow and it is generally believed the touring ball players will remain on the boat until she docks, though it would be possible for them to come up the bay tonight.

Gilmore declared on his arrival here that his effort to sign up Sam Crawford and Tris Speaker was not another Mathewson "joke." He wants Crawford to manage the Brooklyn Federals. Miner Brown of the St. Louis Federals, will also be aboard a boat seeking to scuttle the Lusitania and will endeavor to pick Ivy Wingo and Lee Magee of the Cardinals out of the wreckage. President Navin of Detroit, Joseph Lannin of Boston and Schuyler Britton of St. Louis, will steam forth to battle with the rebel cruiser, however, armed with blank contracts. They expect to down their players, tie 'em up with contracts and chuck them in the hold before the Federals get in sight.

Enroute here Ban Johnson has sprinkled warlike utterances along the way, assuring the Federals that if they want a fight they can have it. He has given his support to President Somers of Cleveland, who signed up Pitcher Blanding after the latter had jumped to the Federals. Reports of a possible compromise were still circulated here, however, and the next two days are expected to make baseball history.

Just to show the minor leagues are interested in what is coming off here, Mike Sexton, president of the National Association of Minor League clubs, is here from Rock Island, Ill. Sexton declared he did not believe the Federals would finish this season, but evidently is here for something more than the home coming of the tourists.

Park Not Ready

The Brooklyn Federals now admit they cannot have their park ready by April 25. The team will play away from home a month before opening in Brooklyn. May 19 is now set for the Brooklyn debut.

Start Tennis in July

The challenge round in the international tennis matches for the Dwight F. Davis cup will be played August 13, 14 and 15. The first preliminary round must be completed by July 25, the second by August 1 and the third by August 8, according to plans agreed upon.

EHRLER QUESTION BEFORE REGENTS

MADISON, Wis., March 5.—After lying dormant for over a month, the Ehler question was dragged back to life today at the university by news that the regents might investigate conditions after the perusal of a brief, prepared by Gerry R. Stark, '15, and J. B. Tasker, '14. According to the brief, there are still strained relations between Director Ehler and his coaching staff.

The regents met on Wednesday and took no action in the matter. The original brief was presented to the athletic committee of the board of regents and was turned over to the board by the committee today.

COMMISSION DRAWS THE COLOR LINE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 5.—The state boxing commission has decided not to permit any bouts between black and white fighters in this state under the boxing law, and this means that the proposed battle at Kenosha between Sam Langford and Carl Morris will not be staged. The state commission, in advance of an appeal for a date, has decided to draw a strict color line.

HOPPE WINS OPENER

CHICAGO, March 5.—Billiard fans were still talking today about the marvelous showing of Champion Willie Hoppe, who in last night's match with George Slosson, defeated the New York veteran 500 to 35. Hoppe averaged 71 3-7, scoring so rapidly that the match was over in less than an hour and a half. Koji Yamada, the Japanese, defeated Calvin Demarest, 500 to 414 in the afternoon match of the tournament.



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Top, John J. McGraw (left) and Judge Edward McCall. Bottom, Lieut. Gov. Wagner and John K. Tener

NEW YORK, March 5.—New York is getting ready to give the Giants and White Sox the time of their lives when the globe-girdlers return to their native shore tomorrow. There will be a reception and a banquet, in which many prominent persons will take part.

Judge Edward McCall, unsuccessful candidate for mayor of New York last year, will be toastmaster, and Lieutenant Governor Wagner will welcome the tourists for the state of New York. Other prominent speakers will be Job E. Hedges and Irvin Cobb.

Among the big guns of baseball who will take part in the program are Governor Tener, president of the National league; Ban Johnson, president of the American league; Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission; John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants Charles Comiskey, president of the White Sox, and A. G. Mills, former president of the National league.

Judge Adelor J. Petit and Robert M. Sweitzer have been chosen as speakers for the 100 Chicagoans who will welcome Comiskey and his men.

Poster announced yesterday that all the 565 reservations for the dinner are in, and that no other persons can be provided for.

wear blue stockings and blue trimmed uniforms.

The old fashioned woman who used to cry for what she wanted probably acquired as much happiness as the modern militant suffragist.

"SOME" PRESS AGENTS
CHICAGO, March 5.—Jimmy Coffroth, San Francisco fight promoter, who allowed he would like to form a syndicate to take over the Chicago Cubs, learned today that at least one gentleman pretended to take him seriously. Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, wired Coffroth he would take about \$100,000 of the syndicate stock.

NAME CHICAGO FEDS
CHICAGO, March 5.—Manager Tinker officially designated the Chicago Federals the Chicago Blues today, with the O. K. of President Weeghman. The Chicago team will

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